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## Poetry.

### THE DYING CHILD.

he following touching poem is extracted from English volume, entitled "The Village Pau-" by Mr. Fulcher, of Sudbury—which was acterized by the London Times as "containing ages worthy of Crabbe's happiest efforts." We et to record Mr. Fulcher's recent and sudden ase:—

Come closer, closer, dear mama,
My heart is filled with fears,
My eyes are dark,—I hear your sobs,
But cannot see your tears.

I feel your warm breath on my lips,
That are so icy cold;
Come closer, closer, dear mama,
Give me your hand to hold.

I quite forgot my little hymn,
"How doth the busy bee,"
Which every day I used to say,
When sitting on your knee.

Nor can I recollect my prayers;
And dear mama, you know
That the great God will angry be
If I forget them too.

And dear papa, when he comes home,
Oh will he not be vext?
"Give us this day our daily bread;"
What is it that comes next?

"Hush, darling! you are going to
The bright and blessed sky,
Where all God's holy children go,
To live with him on high."

But will he love me, dear mama,
As tenderly as you?
And will my own papa one day,
Come and live with me too?

But you must first lay me too sleep,
Where grand-pa is laid;
Is not the churchyard cold and dark,
And shan't I feel afraid.

And will you every every evening come,
And say my pretty prayer
Over poor Lucy's little grave,
And see that no one's there?

And promise me that when you die,
That they your grave shall make
Next unto mine, that I may be
Close to you when I wake?

Nay, do not leave me, dear mama,
Your watch beside me keep;
My heart feels cold—the room's all dark,
Now lay me down to sleep:—

And should I sleep to wake no more,
Dear mama, good bye:
Poor nurse is kind, but oh! do you
Be with me when I die!

### LIFE'S SUNNY SIDE.

BY WM LEGGETT.

Through Life's dark and thorny path,
Its goal the silent tomb,
It yet some spots of sunshine hath,
That shine amid the gloom.
The Friend, who weal and woe partakes,
Unchanged, what'er his lot,
Who kindly soothes the heart that aches,
Is sure a sunny spot.

The Wife, who half our burden bears,
And utters not a moan;
Who treasures every kindly word,
Each harsher one forgot,
And carols blithely as a bird—
She too's a sunny spot.

The Child who lifts at noon and eve,
In prayer its tiny voice,
Who grieves whene'er its parents grieve,
And joys when they rejoice:
In whose bright eye young genius glows,
Whose heart, without a blot,
Is fresh and pure as summer's rose—
That child's a sunny spot.

There's yet upon life's weary road,
One spot of brighter glow,
Where sorrow half forgets its load,
And tears no longer flow.
Friendship may wither, Love decline,
Our Child his honor blot;
But still undim'd that spot shall shine—
Religion lights that spot.

### WHAT SHALL PERISH?

What shall perish? Plants that flourish,
Blossoms steeped in dewy tears,
Rushes that the brooklets cherish,
Oaks that brave a thousand years.

What shall perish? Thrones must crumble—
Centuries wreck the proudest walls,
And the heedless travelers stumble,
O'er the Cæsar's ruined halls.

What shall perish? Man, the glory
Of this sublunary spot,
Like an oft-repeated story,
Shall be buried and forgot.

What shall perish? In their course
Stars must fall, and earth decay,
And old ocean's mightiest forces
Like a bubble fleet away.

All shall perish, but their Maker;
While the soul that trusts his grace,
Of his strength shall be partaker,
And in Heaven behold his face.

—"If a brilliant star
Were stricken from the dome of night,
A Printer's Press, if planted there,
Would fill the vacuum to a hair,
And give perhaps, a better light."

## Agriculture.

Selection of Seed Corn.—Much complaint has been made this season that the corn saved for seed did not vegetate and of course there would follow a failure of a full crop—for a second planting is not expected to produce much, even in case the seed is sure to be genuine.

All farmers should be careful to select their own seed corn and keep it as sacred as the hard money which they sometimes stow away in the garret or other loft, where thieves may not break through and steal.

We are aware that many "have not time" to save garden seeds—and when they have gathered them they have no place to put them clear of the mice. And when they stow them away in the safest manner, they often forget at planting time where they made their deposits in the previous autumn.

Such farmers must go to the seed stores for their seed peas, beans, cucumbers, squashes, lettuce, &c. But let no real farmer neglect to save his *seed corn* in due season, and string it up, where it may be not only above the reach of mice, but above the suspicion of a foggy atmosphere and close covers. The best ears of corn are often rendered unfit for vegetation by being put in hogsheads and close bins.

But the seed ears must not be selected in harvest time. They should be plucked in the field, at a time when the very earliest ears can be selected. This has an important effect on the next harvest, as all farmers know. And as corn wants the whole length of the season to insure a full harvest, it is vastly more important to gain a few days by selecting the very earliest of any of the English grains, for our summers are long enough for any of them.—As soon as any of the ears in a corn-field have grown to be too hard for boiling they may be gathered for seed. The husks should be stripped down, and the ears should be braided together by means of the husks so that they may be hung up in the corn barn or other airy places. When so exposed they may hang for twenty years at least without detriment. But should they be closely packed there will be no certainty of their power of vegetation.

The selection of the best ears at husking time is not the thing; for a great majority of the ears then appear sound, tho' some may have ripened a whole week earlier than others. Just think of a week's gain in the latter part of August. One week would save many a field of corn from a cruel frost.—*Mass. Ploughman.*

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Fall Treatment of Asparagus.—As soon as the heavy frosts come to kill the tops, they should be cut and removed to the stye, or to the compost heap. The surface of the beds, which has become hard, and perhaps weedy, should now be thoroughly scarified with the hoe, or forked over, taking care not to injure the crowns. About the last of the month, spread on a heavy coating of stable manure, at least a half cord to every two square rods. The rains will carry down its fertilizing properties to the roots, and give them great strength and vigor for an early start in the Spring. If near the shore, where marsh mud is accessible, a coating of this, one inch thick, in addition to the manure, will do good service. We have also found it an excellent plan to cover the beds with sea-weed or old hay during the winter.—The roots keep active longer before the ground closes up; the ground does not freeze so deep, and starts sooner in the Spring. The mulch of course needs to be removed as soon as the Winter is over.—Asparagus is a gross feeder, and can be had in its perfection only by high manuring. This we believe will pay, whether the bed have been thoroughly prepared or not.

The Rhubarb plantation needs much the same treatment, and so far as our observation goes, is as much benefitted by salt as asparagus. It would probably be killed sooner by an excessive application, but it thrives well on a compost of marsh muck, and comes out strong and vigorous from a Winter mulch of sea-weed. Old plants should be dug around, and the earth removed a foot in depth, and the place supplied with rich compost, or stable manure. The roots should be divided every third year. Larger and more vigorous stalks will be produced.—*Agriculturist.*

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Save the Leaves—The frosts have begun to do their work upon the foliage, and long wind-rows of leaves are piled under the shade trees by the wall. Let all these be carefully saved. They are excellent for hot beds in the spring, mixed with stable manure; they are a good mulch for fruit trees, during the winter.—Leaves also may be profitably gathered in the forests in large heaps to be brought home in winter upon the sled. They are good bedding for the cattle, and for the pigs.

## Selected Tale.

### A SPORTSMAN'S STORY.

During the early part of the summer, in the year 18—, it happened that two young sportsmen in the highlands of Scotland, wearied by along day's shooting were approaching a hillside spring famous in that wild district for the coldness and pureness of its waters. They had just reached the brow of the elevation over-looking the rural fountain, when they saw a young girl, in the first blush of womanly beauty, close by the spring.

She was sitting on a low rock that rose by the side of a fountain, her dimpled elbow resting on the sliff, and her head leaning on her hand. Her figure was light and sylph-like, yet exquisitely proportioned.—Her hair was golden in color, and flowed in natural ringlets on her shoulders.

"See, was I not right?" said one in a whisper to his companion. "She has been gathering lilies; there are some still in her hand. But let us descend."

The speaker had been leaning carelessly on his gun as he spoke, and now, preparatory to proceeding, threw it to his shoulder. Unfortunately the trigger caught in a bramble, and the piece went off, lodging its contents in his side. He staggered and fell.

"Good heavens!" cried his companion, springing to his assistance, and lifting the wounded man up. "Are you killed?"

The young girl we have described had been buried in a profound reverie, but at the report of the gun she started, looking widly around to see whence it proceeded. In a moment she caught the sight of the wounded man lying on the heather above her, while his friend, lying on his knee, supported the head of the sufferer. As soon as the sportsman saw the girl was watching him, he shouted and waved his arm for help.

The timid Scotish maiden, who but a moment before was on the point of flying, now turned and began to ascend the hill side.

"My poor friend," said the sportsman, doffing his hat as she approached, "has met with an unfortunate accident, and I do not know what to do or where to bear him."

A deep blush dyed the girl's cheek as she encountered the gaze of a stranger, but it passed off immediately, and with a presence of mind worthy of one older, she stooped down to see if the wounded man was dead.

"He breaths still," she said, as she broke off a delicate leaf from one of her lilies, and held it to his nostril, and looking at his companion, she continued, "do you think you could carry him to the spring?"

The sportsman answered by carefully lifting his friend up in his arms and bearing him down the hill side, the young girl following.

"Place him here," she said, pointing to the slightly elevated bank, "and lean his head against the rock. Everything," she continued, "now depends on your getting a surgeon soon. If you will follow that path to your right around the turn of the hill, you will find our cabin. There is a poney there which you can take and ride to the little town of Albertheny, some five miles off, where, fortunately, a surgeon may be had. At the cabin you will find a shepherd or two—tell them to bring some bed clothes and a settee, on which they can carry your friend to the house. It is an humble place, but better than the hill side. By the time you get back with the surgeon shall we have your friend in a comfortable bed, and I hope doing better."

She spoke with so quick a perception of what was best to be done, and did it so composedly, that the sportsman, submitting himself entirely to her guidance, hastened to execute her commission.

When he vanished around the hill the young girl took some water in her hands and began to bathe the face of the wounded man. But still he lay insensible and she persisted in her task for some time, without any signs of life being perceptible.

"Alas," she said, "he is dead! And yet but half an hour ago he was in full strength of health and manhood. It cannot be—I have heard," she continued, eagerly, as if a sudden thought had struck her, and she began to tear open his vest to get at the wound, "that grandsire died at Culloden from the blood coagulating in the wound, when if a surgeon had been there, his life would have been saved. What, if this should be the case here?"

She had by this time bared sufficient of his person to get at the orifice of the wound. The dark gore had almost stiffened about it. She stooped down and tenderly commenced wiping away the congealed blood. She had not been long engaged in her task of mercy when the wounded man stirred, and opening his eyes, fixed them earnestly upon her.

"Where am I?" he inquired, for his memory was yet vague. "Ah! I remember—my gun went off. But where is Harry?"

"If you mean your friend," said the young lady, "he is gone for the surgeon. I have consented to watch by you till some shepherds come to carry you to our cabin. And here they come," she exclaimed, clapping her hands equally glad to conclude the embarrassing tete-a-tete, and to see the wounded man placed in a situation of more comfort.

"Heaven bless you!" said the sufferer, with emphasis, "you have saved my life."

In a few moments the wounded man was placed on a settee brought by the shepherds, and the little cavalcade wended its way toward the cabin. The maiden walked last, and by her side stalked sadly the two dogs of the sufferer, and the dumb animals, with a sense almost human, as if appreciating her kindness to their master, looked up affectionately into her face every few steps. The cabin was like those existing everywhere in the highlands—a rude but cheerful habitation, but was both larger than usual and adorned with more taste inside.

In about two hours the friend of the sufferer returned, bringing with him the surgeon, who was closeted with his patient for more than hour, and when he came forth the young girl was sitting anxiously by the fire, in company with a middle-aged woman, the wife of one of the shepherds.

"Oh, Miss Helen," said the old surgeon, answering the inquiry of her eyes, "you have saved the life of as braw a lad as ever shot a muir-cock or stalked a red deer. I know all about it, ye see, lassie; ye came of a generous and gallant race," and he patted her head as a father would that of a favorite daughter, adding, as if to himself, "'tis a pity the Southron has the broad acres that were once her ancestors', and that she,coming of a chieftain's line,should have nothing but a cabin and a few bits of hill side for a flock of sheep."

The next day the wounded man was pronounced better, but still in a very critical position, and his removal was forbidden by the old surgeon.

"Ye maun keep him here awhile yet, lassie," he said, addressing Helen, "and I'm almost persuaded ye'll hae to be his nurse. He has nae sisters or mother to send for, it seems, and men are very rough nurses, ye ken. Mr. Celin is here, and will nae doubt help; but ye maun be his nurse, maist of the time, yeerself; 'tis what can't be helped."

And so Helen, timid and embarrassed, was compelled, from the urgent necessity of the case, to attend on the wounded man. His friend indeed remained to assist in nursing him; but the invalid, with the whim of a sick man, soon began to refuse his medicines, unless administered by the hand of Helen. Moreover, until the danger was over, his friend watched every night at his bedside, and in consequence requiring a portion of the day for rest, Helen was necessarily left alone for hours with the wounded man. The surgeon, for the first two weeks, came every day to see his patient; but, after this, visited him less frequently.

He now mended rapidly; began to sit up, and very soon he could totter to the window, and look out. In a day or two more he found his way to the cottage door, where sitting in a chair, he inhaled the delicious mountain air for an hour or so at noonday. His friend, when the invalid was thus far recovered took to his gun again, and went out for game; and Helen and her guest were frequently left alone together.

"How shall I ever thank you sufficiently, Helen?" said Donald one day. "Your presence of mind, when I was dying by the spring, saved my life."

The blushing Helen looked down, and answered: "Don't talk that way, Mr. Alleyne. You would not, I know if you was aware how much it pained me."

"Call me Donald," said the convalescent; "surely we have known each other long enough for you to drop that formal name. Or, if you will not call me Donald, then I shall adderess you as Miss Græme."

"Donald, then," said Helen, archly, looking up, and shaking the curls back from her face.

"Bless you for the word, Helen," he said, taking her hand. "Do you know that it sounds sweeter now than I ever thought it would?"

"Mr. Alleyne," she said, though with averted face, "if you would not have me keep out of your room forever—if, in short, you have any respect for a friendless girl, do not speak in that strain again." And she rose as if to depart.

"Helen, hear me," said her lover, detaining her; "hear me only for one word more. Since the hour that you have saved my life I have loved you, and every day I have spent in your society has increased that love; but if you will say that you love another, I swear never to speak on that subject again."

She endeavored to detach her hand, which he had caught a second time, but he held it too firmly.

"You are rich, and I am poor," she said, at last; "you would some day repent of this thing. Even your friends would laugh at your folly."

"Then you love me," said he eagerly. "Is it not so?"

But this time Helen faced him, and with a dignity that quite awed his rapture.

"Mr. Alleyne, will you let me go?" she said. "I am an unprotected girl, and you presume on my situation."

"No, No!" he exclaimed, but he let go of her hand. "You misjudge me, indeed, Miss Græme, for your blood is as good as mine, and even if it were not, Donald Allyne is not the man to love for rank or wealth."

Helen, whose pride rather than heart had spoken, was moved by these words, and she lingered irresolutely. Her lover saw the change in her demeanor, and hastened to take advantage of it. Nor did Helen long resist his pleadings. She loved him indeed only too well, as she had long ago confessed to her own heart. Still even when brought to half acknowledge that he had a place in her heart, she would not promise to be his without a condition.—He argued long and earnestly, but her answer was always the same.

"We must part for a year," she said.—"You think now, with the memory of your illness fresh upon you, that you love me; but I am come of too haughty a blood, though poor now, to marry, even where I might love, on so sudden and questionable an attachment. You are rich, fashionable and with influence; I am the last of a line proscribed ever since Culloden. Your place is the gay world, where you will be surrounded by troops of friends; mine is in the humble cabin, where a few mere dependants have been my only companions, ever since my father died. If you really love me, you will return at the end of the year; and if you forget me, I shall live here, with the heather and the muircock as I have lived before."

Her lover was therefore compelled to submit. There was a proud independence in the banishment of him, which became, he said to himself, the daughter of chieftains who had fought at Bannockburn Flodden Field, and sacrificed their all at Culloden.

Two weeks from that time Donald and his friend left the Highland cabin, and Helen was alone. Never before had she known what it was to be alone. She never knew how much she loved till her lover was away.

But even a year will pass, and just twelve months from Donald's departure Helen sat at the spring side, which she had named for the tristing spot if her lover proved faithful. She had been there already for many hours, watching with an eager heart, half trembling at her own folly in expecting him, half angry with herself for her doubts; but now, as the gloaming came on, yet no Donald appeared, her bosom swelled nigh to bursting. She rose frequently and looked up the bridle path, but nobody was in sight. At last the stars began to come out; the wind grew chill; and with an almost broken heart she rose to return to the cabin.

"I might have known this," she said, sadly. "Do not all my books tell me the same? Even the old story of trusting woman and deceiving man."

At this instant an arm was thrown around her waist, and a well remembered voice whispered in her ear: "Now, Helen, dear, one of our cruel sex, at least, is falsified.—I thought to steal on you unawares and surprise you, and so went round by the cottage to leave my horse there. Had you looked behind, instead of before, you would have frustrated my little scheme by seeing me. I have waited a whole year impatiently for this day and I find you mine at last."

A month from that time, Sir Donald Alleyne introduced his bride to his ample domains in England; and never had a fairer wife entered the splendid halls of his ancestors.

In the great gallery of the castle is a picture of a young Scottish girl, with a half pensive face, sitting by a mountain spring; and the old housekeeper, as she goes the rounds with visitors, pauses before the portrait to say: "That is the likeness of the last Lady Alleyne; and lovely she was, and as good as lovely. By her husband, the last Baronet, she was always called the Lilly of the Valley. Why, I have never heard."

### A Novelty in Natural History.

The village of Leurbost, parish of Lochs, Lewis, is at present the scene of an unusual occurrence. This is no less than the appearance, in one of the inland fresh-water lakes, of an animal, which, from its great size and dimensions, has not a little puzzled our island naturalists.—Some suppose him to be a description of the hitherto mythological water kelpie—an animal which figures largely in Highland legend; while others, more dubious and desirous to build their theories on historic fact, refer largely to the minute descriptions of the "sea serpent," which are revived from time to time in newspaper colums. How these latter gentlemen propose to account for the re-appearance of "his mightiness" in this remote quarter, we are not aware, but there can be no doubt that some animal or another, of an unusual size, is disturbing the waters of the lake in question. It has been repeatedly seen within the last fortnight by crowds of people, many of whom have come from the remotest parts of the parish to witness the uncommon spectacle. Exaggerated accounts are prevalent among those who have witnessed his evolutions, and are therefore to be received with caution.

### A London Dog-Stealing Story.

A celebrated painter of animals in London had painted the portrait of a splended Newfoundland dog, but he strayed or was stolen as he was returning from his last sitting. His owner was inconsolable; but knowing the distinguished artist's large and intimate acquaintance with persons who confidently concern themselves with other people's dogs, repaired to him for advice, and authorized him to offer ten pounds reward for the recovery of the missing favorite. The artist soon put himself in communication with one of his "dog fanciers," who asked him what kind of a dog it was? "Why," says he, "look here; this is his picture. Should you know him again?"

The fellow gazed at the vividly faithful representation for a minute or two intently, and then said. "I think I'se got him now; I shall know him if see him.—But what is that reward?"

"Ten pounds," was the answer.

"Werry 'ansome, indeed, and worth a little trouble; but such a prime hanimal as that 'ere will cost a deal of trouble to get hold on, such uncommon care is taken on 'em by them as has got 'em. Howsoe'er, I'll do my best;" and again he glued his eyes on the pictured dog, and then withdrew.

A month elapsed without tidings of the missing ten-pounder; but at length in the dusk of the evening, the artist was summoned into his painting room, and there found his confidential agent. "Well Bill," quoth the former, "any news about the dog? I have given it up!"

"Oh no, don't, sir," was the reply, with a wink. "I do really believe I've got him at last But is the tip all safe still, and no mistake?"

"Ay—have it any way you like."

"It ain't a check?" asked his astute companion.

"No—a ten pound note, two fives, or sovereigns."

"Well, sir, where that word's said by a gent, there's an end of everything; so the dog will be here in half an hour's time, and a pretty business I have to find him."

Half-an-hour's lapse saw this little stroke of business complete, and the dog and cash exchanged. "Well, now, my man," said the artist, "it's all over, and though I said I wouldn't ask you any question, I can't help it, merely out of curiosity. I give you my honor that I have no other motive, and will take no steps at all in consequence of what you may tell me.—Did I ever deceive you?"

"No, sir, you never did."

"Well, do you know who stole him?"

"Quite sure you won't do nothing if I tell you?"

"Honor, honor!"

"Well, sir, I was the chap as prigg'd him."

"You!" echoed the artist, with expanded eyes, uplifted hands and a great start.

"Yes, me, sir. I took'd the dog and no mistake."

"Whew! Well, but now I'm curious still to know why you chose to be so long out of your money—your ten pounds—why not have brought him back in a few days and got your ten pounds at once?"

"Cos, sir, you see, I sold un to another party for seven pounds, who took such a liking to the creature that I hadn't the heart to steal un from him till he'd had a week or two's comfort out on him; but as soon as he had, I know'd how to prig the dog. I, as could do it once, could do it twice; and now you've got what you want; but it sartinly sounds curious don't it?"

"Why, you consummate scamp," quoth the artist, almost splitting with laughter, "you've got seventeen pounds out of that dog!"

"Yes, sir, that's the figure, exact," replied the stolid Man of Dogs.

"Well, but, you impudent vagabond, if you could prig a dog, as you say, once, and twice, you may thrice."

"Well, sir, so I may; but this here dog will be looked after unkimmin close now, and I shan't run no risk. Besides, 'honor among thieves,' yer know." And with a wise look the fellow departed.

*Blackwood's Magazine.*

### The Age of Trees.

Joshua Howard, in a letter to the Detroit Tribune says:—

Mr. Editor:—In your columns of news paragraph of last issue you have a paragraph from the Newburyport Herald, showing that a toad was let out of a white oak tree with 67 rings or grains over it, indicating 67 years confinement, as the writer thinks. There is nothing unusual or very extraordinary in finding a toad in a tree, or in imbedded limestone rock; but what I have to suggest is, that these rings counted on the section of the tree are not of annual growth, but are formed one at every full moon in the growing season, and in this latitude five in a year. This I have frequently proved by felling young trees, the age of which I knew; and I am surprised that the error above indicated should be so pertinaciously followed.

## Histori

### MEMOIR OF RHODE ISLAND.

### 1675.

‡ Mr. Hubbard says, page 13, "The Narragansetts promised to rise with four thousand in the spring of the year 1676," and in a postcript says, "Concerning the Narragansetts, this is further to be added, that Mr. Thomas Stanton and his son Robert, who have a long time lived amongst them, and are best acquainted with their language and manners of any in New England, do affirm to their knowledge, the Narragansett Sachems, before the late troubles, had two thousand fighting men under them, and nine hundred arms." These accounts are perhaps both true, for the first might mean to contain all the Indians in the bounds of this colony, who being under the great Narragansett Sachem, were often called by this general name; and were perhaps, four thousand fighting men. Mr. Stanton might mean only those properly or precisely called Narragansett Indians, in distinction from the Indians at Providence, and the Indians at Warwick, who joined in the war under Pomham, &c., and from the Nyhantick Indians under Ninegret who did not join in the war; tho these were always, and to this day, are frequently included in the general name of Narragansett Indians. What seems to confirm this, is what Mr. Hubbard adds, viz.—"Yet are they so broken and scattered at this day, that there is none of them left on this side the country, unless some few, not exceeding seventy in number, that have sheltered themselves under the inhabitants of Rhode Island, as a merchant of that place, worthy of credit, lately affirmed to the writer hereof." Those sheltered at the Island were either prisoners of war, or such as had voluntarily surrendered themselves to the English for protection, on promise of life. But it is well known, that Ninigret's men alone vastly exceeded that number; besides there were divers prisoners at Providence. And that side of the country was much fuller of Indians, in the memory of very many now alive.

∥ Mr. Hubbard represents the burning the fort as necessary to dislodge the Indians, and after that the retreat must also be necessary. However he mentions their want of provisions, by means of their vessels being frozen in at Cape Cod. He says there was a great quantity of provisions burned in the four or five hundred wigwams in the fort. And he several times laments the misery of the wounded men,in marching near eighteen miles through the cold and snow that night, before their wounds could be dressed. But Col. Church who was present and wounded in the action, tells us he vehemently opposed the firing the fort. That the General was surprized into it, and he condemns it as very imprudent and unfortunate. He says, 'The fort was full of Corn and other provisions, sufficient to support the whole army until the Spring, and there was no other provisions to be depended upon; there was good warm lodgings for the wounded men, not elsewhere to be had.' He supposes every one acquainted with the circumstances of that night's march, deeply laments the misery of the whole army, especially of the wounded and the dying men. He adds, 'That it mercifully came to pass, that Capt. Andrew Belcher arrived that very night at Mr. Smith's from Boston; loaded with provisions for the army, who must otherwise have perished for want. (Church, p. 16, 17.) Tradition is on the same side, and supposes had the army kept possession of the fort, it must in a manner have finished the war.

### 1675.

Here ends the extracts from Callender's century sermon. We shall now go back and add some incidents of war, which have been but slightly noticed or not at all by him.

Soon after the commencement of the war, Mr. Joseph Torrey and Mr. Hubbard, of Newport, sent a vessel to Westerly to bring such of their friends, who wished to leave, to Newport, which they did and remained there until the war was over.—The town of Westerly, having the English of Connecticut adjoining on the West, the neutral Indians under Ninegret on the East, and the Mohegan, or friendly Indians on the North, was not exposed to the ravages of the hostile indians, as was the rest of the settlers in Narragansett as well as in Providence and in Warwick.

On the 16th of December the Indians burnt Jireth Bull's house at Petaquomscott, together with the barns and other buildings, which were sufficient to cover and accommodate the Connecticut troops, and had been selected for their head quarters. The Connecticut troops marched by land through Westerly and the Niantick country and arrived at their quarters on the 17th where they found no shelter, and were compelled to lie in the open field the following night, the houses and barns having been burned the day before, and ten men and five women and children, killed by the Indians. Smith's Trading House which stood where Wickford now is, was the head quarters of the Massachusetts and Plymouth troops, before the great swamp fight, and after the battle the whole army returned to that place. Four hundred men were found disabled and unfit for duty, either from wounds or from having been frost bitten, and their limbs exceedingly swollen. The wounded and disabled men were all put on board vessels and sent to Newport, where they were received by the inhabitants into their houses and families, with the most liberal kindness and hospitality, until they were restored to health. The number brought to Newport is not known, at least to us, but it must have been very considerable probably, near the number of 400, as stated above to have been found unfit for duty. Eight died at Newport of their wounds. Bailies says the Quakers refused to receive them into their houses at first, but were afterwards compelled. We know not where Mr. Bailies got his authority for this fact—no such tradition exists in Newport, nor did we ever understand that the Quakers had any scruples in affording relief to the distressed and wounded soldiers, any more than to any other class of their fellow men in affliction.

The Massachusetts re-enforced their army in Narragansett early in January, and it appears a Company from Providence also took an active part in the campaign, under the command of Captain Fenner;

# Newport Mercury.

SATURDAY MORNING, OCTOBER 11, 1856.

It is a painful sight to see young men—half-grown boys—day after day and month after month, walking up and down the streets, with literally nothing to do—not that they cannot find employment, for such an excuse will not hold good in a country where there is enough work for every pair of hands, but because they are too lazy, or indifferent as regards the future, and are perfectly satisfied if they are provided with a living while they continue to indulge their love of idleness. [illegible] is a common complaint in Newport, th[illegible], in [illegible] cannot expect to grow and [illegible] roll up their young men are all [illegible] before them, and another [illegible] forward step towards doing [illegible] for themselves and the community.—[illegible] are afraid of dirt, and had rather be seen with a well-brushed beaver, lounging at some public corner, than engaged in driving a nail or in shipping a cargo of potatoes. Those who indulge in such a spirit are greatly to blame, but they are not more so than their parents, who owe it to society to bring up their children in a way that will tend to make them good and industrious citizens, worthy to follow in their steps and entitled to the same respectful consideration when they come to years. But if not thus restrained in their youth, when they come to maturity they will answer well to COLTON's description of a bore.

The *idle*, he says, "levy a very heavy tax upon the industrious, when, by frivolous visitations, they rob them of their time. Such persons beg their daily happiness from door to door, as beggars do their daily bread; and, like them, sometimes meet with a rebuff. A mere gossip ought not to wonder if we evince signs that we are tired of him, seeing that we are indebted to the honor of his visit solely to the circumstance of his being tired of himself. He sits at home until he has accumulated an intolerable load of *ennui*, and he sallies forth to distribute it amongst all his acquaintance."

*Chambers' Journal* has an article designed to do away with many of the false impressions in regard to snakes—not a few of which are really absurd: that, for instance, of the fondness for milk shown by the snake, a thing that cannot be, as they never drink. Their love of music is probably greatly exaggerated, even if it exists at all, and it is only in uncongenial climates that they nestle in blankets and betake themselves to other such unwonted luxuries. They are naturally averse to cold, but in a congenial climate, they prefer a moist tuft of grass or an old ruin to any other place of concealment; and there, if they enter the house, most likely they will be found among the cool jars, or lounging behind a door that is seldom opened, in a box placed near the wall; or, in fact, in any place where it is dark, quiet and cool. Some snakes are said by the Hindoos to be poisonous only on Sunday, and others, they declare, attack none but women, but experience has shown that snakes said to possess these peculiarities are all harmless. And the tricks of the snake-charmers of India have all been exposed again and again. This class of jugglers live a vagabond life, and eat whatever they can obtain [illegible] least trouble, totally disregarding conv[illegible] prejudices on the subject. Rats and [illegible] only considered delicacies, and an animal [illegible] from disease, instead of unfitting i[illegible] gives it additional piquancy in th[illegible]

It is stated in Hilo that [illegible] lava from [illegible] be over sixty-[illegible]ming within five Mauna Loa, in all its w[illegible] from three to ten five miles long, the [illegible] branching off and then or six miles of Hi[illegible] islands. The depth of miles in width [illegible] varies. As the lava runs running [illegible] irregularities of the surface, and the stre[illegible] localities from twenty to three along [illegible] in depth. Nearly a year has elapsed [illegible] eruption commenced, and the flow, though [illegible], is still immense. Late advices received [illegible] a few days state that fresh or molten lava is [illegible] met with until about three miles above the lowest point it reached in November last, or about eight miles from Hilo. The lava now appears to be spreading more laterally, bursting out through the old crust and flowing off to the right and left. At present there is no danger, nor will there be unless the discharge should be materially increased.

In China none hold women sweet,
Unless their snags are black as jet;
King CHILI put nine queens to death,
Convict on statute iv'ry teeth—

So sang PRIOR, but not exactly with truth so far as the locality is concerned. It is the Siamese and the Tonquinese who dye their teeth as black as art can make them, alleging that it would be a disgrace to human nature to have teeth white as those of the dogs and elephants! Four days are required for the process, at about the age of twelve years, and during the operation the patient is not allowed to masticate any food, lest the poisonous nature of the dye prove destructive to life, and so during that brief interval they have to content themselves with "spoon victuals."

Formerly the flowers of the violet were considered pectoral, but that notion has given way before the scientific researches of our day. It may not be generally known, however, that the root of the violet is an emetic; the dose being forty grains.—The infusion of the violet is one of the most delicate tests of the presence of acids and alkalies; the former changes its color to red, the latter to green.—According to LIGHTFOOT, the Highland ladies of former times, used the violet as a cosmetic, the old Gallic receipt being "Anoint the face with goat's milk in which violets have been infused, and there is not a young prince upon earth who will not be charmed with thy beauty."

The India Ink of commerce is nothing more than lamp-black and gluten, though it has been supposed to be a secretion of the cuttle-fish. The usual way of manufacturing it is, to place a number of lighted wicks in a vessel of oil, over which is suspended a funnel-shaped cover of iron, to receive the smoke. When coated with lamp-black, this is brushed off and collected upon paper, and when a sufficient quantity is obtained, it is well worked in a mortar with a solution of gum; as soon as it is reduced to a paste, it is scented with musk, and put into little moulds, pressed and sent to market.

The Emperor of China is the universal land-owner—the sole proprietor of the soil; but the tenant is never liable to be displaced, if he regularly pay his rent to the crown, which is calculated at about one-tenth of the produce of the farm. In case an agriculturist have more land than he and his family can cultivate, he lets it to another, on condition of receiving half the produce, out of which he pays the whole of the taxes. On these terms the land is cultivated by the greater part of the poor peasantry.

The New York *Journal of Commerce*, in summing up the season at Saratoga, says it is safe to estimate the total number of visitors for the season of 1856 at thirty thousand. This is an increase of five thousand over the figures of the previous year, and it thinks that had the weather through the month of August been as favorable this year as usual, the number would have been much larger.

The Louisville *Courier* of the 30th ult. gives the particulars of a fire in that city, which destroyed property to the value of one hundred thousand dollars, comprising three brick dwellings and three extensive stores filled with goods.

At a meeting of the Board of Aldermen 8th inst. the petition of Mr. ROBERT H. IVES, praying that a road may be laid out from Dixon's lane through the land of Mr. DANIEL FEARING was rejected.

In the *Illustrated London News* there is an account of the deep sea soundings for the telegraph from Newfoundland to Ireland, which has resulted in establishing the correctness of Lieut MAURY's theory that there is a table land extending over the greater part of the distance, of a uniform distance below the surface. This level is more than thirteen hundred miles in length and is entirely free from rocks, gravel and sand, the whole surface being covered with the most fragile forms of shells, either of recent or of fossil infusoria, so delicat[illegible] is so perfect, as to afford a [illegible] apparatus, has absence of any curr[illegible] ten or fifteen feet deep in these great, and he doubts not that the cable likewise sink and imbed itself in a similar manner.

The following is the process of making the soundings as recently practiced so successfully on board the U. S. steamer Arctic:—

"The vessel being "hove to," and made to remain as stationary as possible, the lead is dropped into the water from a pulley on the fore-yard arm, and carries with it the line, which in its descent it rapidly unwinds from a large reel. The descent, at first very rapid, gradually diminishes in speed, in consequence, not of the enormously-increased density of the water, as is usually supposed, but of the gradually-increasing friction due to the length of line to be drawn through the water. This diminution of speed at different depths has been accurately noted by Lieut. Berryman, and is remarkably uniform. The descent in the deeper soundings usually occupied about 2 hours. The arrangement of the mechanism is such that the moment the rod carrying the quills touches the bottom, the wires which were previously supported by hooks become detached, and allow the escape of the lead; while the quills and the register, which are attached to the rod, thus, relieved of its load, are more easily drawn up again. Still the process of raising, though facilitated by discarding the leaden weight of 60 lb. to 120 lb. would be tedious and laborious for human hands. There is, therefore, a small steam engine attached to the reel, having two oscillating cylinders, whose piston rods work direct upon a crank on the axle of the reel; by this means the raising of the apparatus occupies less time than its descent. Still it is a slow process; and, occasionally, from the occurrence of a knot or twist in the line, it has been snapped at the pully, when nearly raised, and the whole labor of the sounding, together with the apparatus and specimens, have been lost."

The study of the insect world has ever afforded us infinite pleasure, and we lose no opportunity of watching and studying the habits of beetles and may-bugs, wasps, spiders and flies. A few days since we were so fortunate as to witness one of those interviews between a spider and a wasp, that we had often seen described, but which lacked confirmation of our own eyes. Spiders, in [illegible] state, are often found in the nest of th[illegible], the larva deposited in their bodies [illegible] large feed upon them as soon as hatch[illegible] spiders that enough to shift for themselv[illegible] of rocks—great we were watching the [illegible] and fight, and who spread their nets in [illegible] our presence. A wasp black, bloated fellow [illegible] they all seemed paralyzed, were not at all d[illegible] themselves up for lost, though sailed by; in [illegible] opportunity to escape. The and, appar[illegible]ly making a selection and having they [illegible] the fattest, he passed over it, at the wasp [illegible] giving it a sting, which was not resented, [illegible] was no sign of life on the part of the [illegible], other than drawing up its legs in a helpless [illegible]anner. Then the wasp cleared it from the web, seized it by the back and tried to mount with the load, but repeatedly failed, till at length it succeeded in carrying it out of sight, stopping every few rods to rest. When it was gone the other spiders recovered from the shock experienced at the sight of their deadly foe, to find a securer shelter in the fissures of the rock. A lamb could not have been more paralyzed at the presence of a wolf, than were these formidable spiders when the wasp entered their stronghold.

DEATH OF A VENERABLE PRINTER.—We have to record the death of MR. HENRY BARBER, who expired on Monday last, after a brief illness, in the seventy-sixth year of his age. For the past *sixty-five* years MR. BARBER has regularly worked in the *Mercury* office, as compositor—a length of time on one paper that we venture to say is without a parallel. To the last, and that was but two weeks ago, he was regularly at his case, and never wore glasses of any kind. He could set brevier, though it was trying to him, and he usually confined himself to a long-primer case. Of late years he was slow, necessarily so, but he was uniformly correct, and seemed never better pleased than when at his stand. He was also acquainted with Engraving and Bookbinding, both of these branches, at one time, having been carried on in this office. During his life he had never been further than five miles from home; Jamestown, three miles across the Bay, we believe, was the most distant point that he ever reached. Of course he had never seen a railroad or locomotive, and all that he knew of a steamboat, was the exterior, seen from the office window. But of WASHINGTON he could speak from a personal knowledge, and of events that had transpired during the past half century and more, he could converse. His health was usually good, and he certainly bid fair to remain with us for some years to come, but a sudden cold was followed by alarming symptoms, and death shortly ensued.

MR. BARBER was a brother of the late WILLIAM and JOHN H. BARBER, publishers of the *Mercury* prior to 1850, and by that family the office had been owned a period of seventy years.

MR. WISE, son of the veteran aeronaut, was in great danger of losing his life in making an ascent in his baloon from Newburyport on Friday of last week. The baloon, after it had attained to a considerable elevation, was taken by a current of air towards the sea. He descended upon the beach at Plum Island, and the anchor not holding, he was forced to jump out of the car, a distance of fifteen feet, lacerating his hands in the attempt to hold the baloon by the ropes. We learn from the Boston *Courier* that the baloon "Young America" was picked up on Saturday, 33 miles northeast from Cape Cod, by the fishing schooner Eurotas, which arrived at Provincetown Monday. The baloon, when first seen, was afloat, with the basket under water. It was slightly damaged in taking it on board.

The Providence papers of Thursday contain an account of the parade of the Marine Artillery of that city, preparatory to their departure for Woonsocket. They mustered 100 men, as follows:—54 privates, 24 drivers, 8 non-commissioned officers, 12 commissioned officers and 2 trumpeters. Their equipments were besides side-arms, 6 pieces of ordinance, and 6 caissons, each of which were drawn by four horses, which together with twenty-two horses drove by the officers and trumpeters made seventy horses in all. After a review by the City Fathers, the company received His Excellency Governor HOPPIN and Staff, Brigadier General PITMAN and Staff, and escorted them to Woonsocket where all the companies composing the 2d Brigade were to be reviewed on Thursday.

Twenty-five hundred houses are being built in Paris for the working classes. They are to be in groups of fifty, each group forming a square, with an open space in the centre. Each house is to accommodate six families, at a rent of about $26 to each. Each group is to have a public bake-house and bathing establishment.

The Nantucket *Mirror* gives the number of vessels that passed the Cross Rip light boat during the quarter ending the 30th ult., at nine thousand, one hundred and seventy-four; six thousand, four hundred and thirty-nine of which were schooners.

We would call attention to the advertisement of the Providence Conference Seminary, at East Greenwich, under the direction of Mr. QUEREAU. This institution has become familiarly known and is now enjoying the success which it merits.

THE CENTENARIAN.—The Rev. Andrew Marshall, the colored centenarian, of Savannah, Ga., told his story at the Tabernacle Baptist Church of this city, on Sabbath evening. He wants help to build a new church edifice for his [illegible] longer he said by way of "[illegible] live we do not one stone," [illegible] it manifest on Sunday [illegible] the lapse of a hundred years [illegible] not worn out his physical or his intellectual vigor. Once a slave, the purchaser of his own and his family's freedom, he takes pleasure in rehearsing his history—by no means forgetting the fact that he had in several instances acted as the coachman of Gen. Washington, that he had seen all the Presidents who had succeeded him, except Pierce, and he had some idea of visiting him before he went home. He told us he had baptised 3,800 persons with his own hands, and it was not an uncommon thing for him to administer the Lord's Supper to more than two thousand communicants, in his own church. His style of speaking is, of course, of the most rambling order. Yet he says many pithy and sparkling things, and leaves the impression on all minds that he is a thoroughly good man, retaining, in his one hundred and first year, much of the quiet humor which must have abounded in him when he was not more than half as old. The collection plates bore the evidence that he had sounded his audience "pocket deep."

*N. Y Express.*

ACTION OF SUGAR ON THE TEETH.—The Charleston, S. C. *Medical Journal* states that M. Larex, in the course of investigations on the teeth, arrived [illegible] following conclusions:

"1st. Refined sugar, from [illegible] cane, either or beets, is injurious to health [illegible] organs by immediate contact w[illegible] to its stoppage or by the gas developed [illegible] page in the stomach [illegible]ated in a satur-

2d. If a tooth [illegible] it is so much al-ated solution of [illegible] composition that it tered in the [illegible], and its enamel opaque, becomes [illegible]ly broken.

[illegible] spongy [illegible] modification is due, not to [illegible] but to a tendency of sugar to [illegible] with the calcareous basis of the [illegible]

The foregoing conclusions are correct, and candies and condiments should be avoided. They should be kept from children especially. It is well known that maple sugar renders the teeth tender and sensitive.

On Friday of last week, as two ladies, one named Barton, the other her sister, attempting to cross to Goat Island, Niagara Falls, by means of planks temporarily placed upon the new bridge, the supports gave way, and they were precipitated from the bridge. Mrs. B. fortunately seized an iron rod connected with the bridge, while her sister, after vain attempts to sustain herself by grasping Mrs. B's dress, was thrown into the raging waters beneath.—The plank fell with her and after several vain attempts she grasped it. By the mercy of Providence the plank was thrown into the water diagonally with the shore, and the current, which was bearing her so furiously to destruction, drew the lower end of the plank against the bank, when several persons seized it, and by great exertions finally drew her ashore in a faint condition. Mrs. Barton, after clinging to the rod for some time, was lifted from her dangerous situation by persons who had rushed to the spot.

THE ADVANTAGES OF ADVERTISING.—The advantages of advertising are set forth with great force in the following article from a New York journal:

The advantages of advertising were forcibly illustrated in the case of an Irish girl who recently arrived in New York from the Green Isle, in quest of her brother and sister, who had preceded her over the blue waters to the "land of the free."—For several weeks after her arrival, she wandered about New York and Jersey City, friendless and homeless, discovering no trace of those she sought. But eventually, at the suggestion of some one to whom she made known her wishes, an advertisement, announcing her arrival and calling for information of her relatives, was put in the city papers and in less than twenty-four hours after its appearance, she was folded in their embraces, and to their home near this city in triumph.

It is believed that the amount invested in the book business in Boston alone, at the present day, cannot be less than three millions of dollars. Now there are nearly one hundred booksellers, and over fifty distinct publishers in the American 'Athens.' In New York there are four hundred and forty-four booksellers and one hundred and thirty-three publishers, and in Pensylvania, four hundred and two of the first and seventy-two of the last. Most of the publishing, and the largest number of the booksellers, center in the great cities of Boston, New York, and Philadelphia, which are the leading publishing cities of the country. New York has the most capital invested in the business.

A synopsis of the immigration at New York during the first three quarters of the present year, exhibits a total of 103,654, against 106,078 for the same time in 1855. In the early part of the year, there was a marked falling off in comparison with the arrivals in 1855, but during the past four months, there has been a considerable excess over the corresponding month last year, although there is still a very great disparity in comparison with the immense influx of 1854. It is remarked that the pecuniary condition of the emigrants now arriving is more than usually good.

AMERICAN COTTON GINS IN INDIA.—In July, 1851, the Eagle Cotton Gin Manufacturing Company, of Louisiana, sent to Calcutta one of their gin stands for making fine cotton, and intending it to enter into competition for the prize of 5000 rupees, offered in 1849 by the government of India, through the Agricultural and Horticultural Society of India. The Society awarded the American gin stand a prize of $1250 and a handsome gold medal.

Bark Prescott, of this port from Buenos Ayres Aug 10, reports that fifty square leagues of land on the southern frontier, have been sold for 30,000 doubloons to a Brazillian company, by whom it will be occupied and defended as a barrier against the Indians. Two firms in Montevidio have failed in consequence of speculation in stocks,—a disease which is prevailing there to an alarming degree.

*Bost. Post.*

STOCKS FOR DRUNKARDS.—The stocks is being revived for drunkards in various parts of England. The Wolverhampton Chronicle mentions a case as having occurred in Wolverhampton last week, and the effect, it states, will be quite contrary to what the magistrates intended.

AN AMERICAN WHALER IN [illegible] American [illegible] Queenstown.—"Among the [illegible] brig, called the W. F. [illegible] tons, belonging to New York harbor [illegible] arrived in Queenstown on Friday last, from Nova Zembla. On her voyage, which was merely an experiment trip, she captured three whales, from which nearly eight tons of oil have been obtained.

A new system has been introduced, by which it would seem that this valuable animal is more surely, safely, and speedily destroyed than by the old means, and we understand that the credit of introducing the present mode belongs to the captain of the W. F. Safford. Instead of being harpooned as formerly a course that was both dangerous to life and uncertain in the result,—the fish are now shot, and after the ball enters the flesh it explodes in the body on much the same principle as a shell. The effect of the explosion is generally to shatter that portion of the fl[illegible] where it has entered, and it seldom [illegible] to reach a vital part. Capt. R[illegible] in master of the whaler, is at [illegible] some guns Birmingham, where he is ha[illegible] made, which he of a peculiar construct[illegible] effective in the capture expects will be highly [illegible] is the intention of ture of [illegible] fish [illegible] for patents for the Capt. Roys [illegible] English and American invention to [illegible] Governm[illegible]

[illegible] PUNISHMENT.—As Mr. W. A. Palmer, the eminent pianist, was H[illegible] returning from his business late last [illegible]ning, crossing F. and Tenth sts., two cowardly scoundrels set a large fierce dog at him. As the beast flew at him, Mr. Palmer with great dexterity and presence of mind, caught the dog by the mouth, one hand in the upper the other in the lower jaw, and in a moment literally tore the jaw out of its socket. Then turning upon the scoundrels, who were preparing to attack him, Mr. Palmer struck the nearest a left hander in the face, and a valuable diamond ring catching in the flesh cut the fellows cheek open from his eye to his chin. The other ruffian had seen enough and bolted, but P. was the swiftest runner, and in less time than it takes to write it, he was caught, and received as sound a thrashing as he could well get.—We are glad to learn that Mr Palmer was not injured.—*Washington Star.*

FROM THE ARCTIC REGIONS.—*Supposed Traces of the Franklin Expedition.*—Capt. Penny, Commander of the ship Lady Franklin, has returned with her to Aberdeen, from the Arctic Regions, and reports that when he was in Hogarth's Sound he was told by the Esquimaux that some of their companions had seen, a long way off in a Northwesterly direction, a circular white tent erected on the ice.—The Esquimaux had taken from it on their first visit some bright metal, and on their second visit some spoons. Afterwards they had seen two white men in the tent.

It was reported among the natives that these and other white men had perished from hunger. So far as Captain Penny can judge, he thinks that this may refer to the same party from whom Dr. Rae obtained the silver spoons, &c., which identified the white men with Sir John Franklin and his party.

ONE-TENTH OF A SECOND FROM DEATH. It will be remembered that the Rev. Mr. Sellwood, of the Episcopal Church, missionary to Oregon, was in the Panama massacre, and reported among the dead.—In a letter just received from him, he says he received four wounds, and is disfigured for life. His narrow escape from death is thus described:

After I recovered, and previous to leaving the hospital, one of my medical attendants said to me: "I look upon your escape as a miracle; the ball passed so near the heart, that it must have passed at the instant of its contraction, for, had it passed at its expansion, you must have been killed. Just the one-tenth of a second made all the difference in your case between life and death."

ANOTHER FATAL BURNING FLUID ACCIDENT.—Mrs. Jane Littlefield of Rockport, Mass., was about to kindle a fire in her cook stove yesterday afternoon and incautiously took a can which contained a very small quantity of burning fluid to pour upon the kindling wood. It seems that there was some fire remaining in the stove, of which fact she was ignorant. The fire communicated to the fluid in the can, blew the bottom of it out, and enveloped Mrs. Littlefield in the flame, by which she was burned so badly that she died about midnight. We have before recorded the death of several servant girls in an exactly similar manner.—*Traveller, 3d.*

A letter from Wibog, in Finland, of the 29th ult., says—"One of the most colossal enterprises ever undertaken in Finland, the construction of a canal from Saima to Wibog, has just been terminated, after twelve years' uninterrupted labor, though sixteen had been considered necessary. This immense canal, which has innumeral branches, places the interior of Finland, where there are scarcely any roads, in direct communication with the Gulf of Bothnia. The length of it, including the branches, is equal to a third of the total length of Finland.

The following is the copy of a note addressed to the cashier of a bank in this city:—

"I received a note from you stating that you held my note off 33 dolls i should like to know from whom that note is from i have no reculations off singing a note off that amount i should like to know who that note is from iff a jist one i will pay it if not you mout as well look for the devil as to look for me hurra for Buck.

Yours rispictfully."

*Boston Post.*

The Chinese Repository tells of a strange kind of death punishment which was inflicted on a criminal who had committed a dreadful murder. He was wound with cotton which was saturated with tallow, places being left for him to breath. He was then dipped like a monster candle, until he presented a mass of tallow. In this way he was stuck up on his father's grave, lighted and kept burning until his body was consumed by slow degrees.

EMIGRATION FROM CORK.—An official return has been published of the emigration, permanent and temporary, from the port of Cork, from June to the last day of August 1853, and for the corresponding periods of the three succeeding years.—The gross figures are these:—In 1853, the number were 10,539; in 1854, 8379; in 1855, 7262; in 1856, 8893.

The monster ship "Ocean Monarch," has loaded for Liverpool at New York, with 120,000 bushels wheat and corn, 180 tierces rice and 150 tons fustic. She draws 23 feet of water, and carries nothing in her upper deck, where she could stow 50,000 more bushels.

[illegible]IRACY AGAINST NAPOLEON'S LIFE—ARRESTS IN PARIS.—*Paris, Sept 17.*—There was an unusual stir at the Prefecture of Police last night, and at the prison of Mazas, owing to the arrest of about 30 persons belonging to a secret society. This society composed of revolutionists of the most violent and dangerous kind, held a meeting yesterday, at which it is said that it was decided to assassinate the Emperor on his return from Biarritz. I understand that the police know all the members of this society, most of whom are old members of the Marianne, inhabiting the 6th, 7th and 8th arrondissements of Paris. The majority of them are artisans. Several of those arrested are very young, and appear intelligent, and not uneducated. They have been placed in solitary confinement at Mazas, and not allowed to communicate with no one. The search made at their residences was brought to light nothing that [illegible]promise them, but the police are [illegible]d to prove the existence of the [illegible]iety, and to bring forward witnesses of it frequent meetings. This confirms the evidence, already pretty positive, contained in the details I sent you concerning the Marianne, as to the existence of a secret society, whose members are sworn to attempt the life of the Emperor. Fortunately, the police are vigilant and sharp-sighted, and history is there to show us how rarely such attempts succeed. It is doubtless very difficult to form a society of this kind, into which some agent of the authorities does not find means to insinuate himself, and even when that is not the case, at the last moment, it is rare that the conspirators preserve their firmness of purpose and of nerve.

*Cor. of the London Times.*

FEARFUL ACCIDENT.—The Oswego Times of the 24th ult says: "At about half past seven o'clock last evening, the schooner Herald, of Cleveland, came into the harbor and endeavored to haul up by the Empire Elevator. Being under considerable headway, before she could be checked her masts struck the Old Bridge just by the second abutment on the East side, and carried away the main gas pipe, which conveyed the gas to the East side of the city, breaking it in two. Of course all the lights in East Oswego were suddenly extinguished and that part of the city plunged in darkness. At this time some persons set fire to the gas as it was escaping from the pipe, which threw a sudden blaze of light over the bridge and surrounding objects. A large number of persons rushed on the bridge to find out what was the matter. The weight upon the old rotten structure caused it to give way and fall with a crash, carrying several persons with it into the water amid the falling timber. For a moment all was confusion and consternation, but the brilliant gas-light rendering objects distinctly visible, aid was extended to the persons in the water.—Several swam out and others were helped out, and it is hoped that all were saved."

Gov. John Bull was so great a favorite in South Carolina, that parents frequently named their children after him. There was then in Charleston a tailor named Frog, who influenced by some favor patronage received from John Walters Gibbs, asked him to be the godfather of the son, to be named John, after his proposed godfather. Mr. Gibbs promptly assented, and the day was appointed for the ceremony. When the parties met, and were going together up to the font, Mr. Gibbs asked permission to give the child an intermediate name after their worthy governor, Bull. Permission was of course granted, and the child was baptized John Bull; the ceremony was over and the parties separated in great good humor. But when the whole name was pronounced, and the child called John Bull Frog, the parents were dismayed; the citizens joined in the laugh, and the Frog family left in a hurry to escape the continued jests.

TERRIBLE SITUATION.—Last week, as a young man was attempting to cross over to Sullivan's Island, Charleston, in a small boat, he was struck by a squall, near Fort Sumpter, and the boat capsized. The gentleman, however, succeeded in clinging to the boat until assistance was sent from a vessel at Quarantine, and he was taken off in an exhausted condition. It is said that the peril and mental anxiety of the gentleman was so great, amidst the plunging of the waves and snapping of the sharks, that his hair, which an hour before was a beautiful auburn, turned almost white, and he is now as grey as a badger—not from age, but fright.

THE total assessed wealth of Providence the present year is $58,064,576, on which the tax is 77 1-2 cents on the hundred dollars. The largest tax payers are Alexander Duncan and family, $14,838 15 on a property valued at $1,914,600; the heirs of Thomas P. Ives, pay $12,773 65 on $1,648,200; Moses Brown Jenkins $6,032 21 on $778,350; three others pay upwards of $4,000; seven over $3,000; thirteen $2,000 and upwards; forty-four over $1,000, and eighty-eight $500 and upwards. There are ninety-three persons taxed for upwards of $100,000.

DECIDEDLY COOL OPERATION.—One of the workmen upon Greene's rifles at the Massachusetts Arms Company's works was so unfortunate, a day or two since, as to slit the thumb of his right hand upon the circular saw. Concluding, upon inspection, that the member was used up, he cooly walked back to the saw, and holding the damaged thumb with the left hand, made a clean amputation of it, and then proceeded to have it dressed by a surgeon.

THE "ADRIATIC."—As many men are at work on the splendid new steamer Adriatic as can be advantageously employed, and she will probably be completed early next month, when she will make her trial trip. She will leave soon after, on her first passage to Europe. The Journal of Commerce says it is not likely that there will be time for the trip to Boston which has been spoken of.

Enoch Clark, formerly of Northampton, who recently died at Philadelphia, left a fortune of over a million, accumulated since 1841 in the business of money and exchange brokerage. He left $15,000 to local charities of Philadelphia.

In a case of a sudden death recently, in Warren county, Miss., a coroners inquest was held, and the verdict was "the deceased died by the will of God, *or some other decease* unknown to jury.

The New York Herald asserts that from thirty to forty children are stolen every year in that city, and are never heard of more.

The defence of Sebastopol, according to the last advices from Russia, cost the enormous sum of $800,000,000.

Humboldt celebrated the eighty-ninth anniversary of his birth on the 14th of Sept.

## LATER FROM EUROPE.

HALIFAX, Oct 8.—The steamer Niagara from Liverpool, soon after 9 o'clock, morning of Saturday, 27th, arrived here Wednesday, Oct. 8—9 45 P. M.

The Quebec and Philadelphia steamers from Liverpool on Wednesday, 24th, carried out intelligence that the Spanish Constitution had been promulgated—that O'Donnell had tendered his resignation—which, however was incorect,—that an Anglo-French fleet is really destined for the Bay of Naples, and that Russia remains firm in her intention to possess the Isle of Serpents—the British fleet remains in the Black Sea—all of which created anxiety and depressed the funds. Consols were then quoted, for money 63 3-4 to 7-8.

Since the sailing of these steamers, Italian affairs have continued to excite attention, but beyond the intention to send a fleet to Naples, nothing definite has transpired, the Anglo-French ultimatum being retained a few days in Paris, to allow opportunity for the Neapolitian government to make the required concessions. The contemplated expedition is of a formidable character; eight steamers are provisioned at Spithead, and the Cæsar, Collosus, Dauntless, Malaca, Gorgon, Perseverance, and Urgent, all British auxiliary steamers, are ready to sail. The French ships are Bretagne, Ulm, Algesiras, and Napoleon. The expedition is said to be very unpopular in France.

Sardinia takes part in the expedition and will send ships for the protection of the Sardinians there.

A Vienna letter states that English and French ministers had notified Austria of the intended expedition against Naples, to which the Vienna Cabinet interposes no obstacles. This is, however, doubtful.

Prince Petrulla, Neapolitan envoy to Vienna, has resigned; cause not stated.

It is understood that immediately as Mr. Brenier, French minister, leaves Naples, the Marquis Antonini, Neapolitain minister, will withdraw from Paris to Brussels. Meantime, hopes are entertained of receiving, during the present week, by telegraph, such an answer from Naples as would supersede the necessity of the fleet's sailing. The London Star, of the 26th, says:—"Something serious has certainly occured to stay the Anglo-French Mission to Naples, for it has not yet sailed. There is a statement that King Ferdinand has fortified his coast, and is likely to secure the enthusiasm of the army. There is another report, that if compelled to yield he will proclaim the Constitution of 1848, and thereby present his compliments to Palmerston and Napoleon. It may be that these eventualities are forseen by the two men who rule France and England, or they may have heard that Naples would be supported by Austria and Russia. At all events the game, whatever it may be, does not go on well."

GREAT BRITAIN.—Lord Hardinge, late commander-in-chief, is dead, aged 71 years.

Mr. Dallas, as a guest of E. Bulwer Lytton, dined with the Heats Agricultural Society, and made a speech in return to a toast of concord between America and England.

The Gazette publishes the treaty between Great Britain and Siam. British subjects may trade freely with all the ports of Siam but may reside only at Bankok.

FRANCE.—The Emperor and family are making the most of rural enjoyment, including bull fights, at Biarritz.

The Paris correspondent of the London Times alludes to a report of its being the intention of the United States to form an alliance with those European powers who may be disposed to adopt as an article the immunity of merchant vessels and merchandise from capture in time of war, even by men-of-war.

SPAIN.—Madrid letters of the 16th mention the resignation of Cavelero, from which arose, probably, the report that O'Donnell had resigned.

The Espano announces that the Council of the Ministers, on entreaty of the Queen, have stopped the sales of Church property—consequently the ministerial crisis has ceased.

PORTUGAL.—By order of the Lisbon Board of Health, three Brazillian ships were sunk at Quarantine, because infected with yellow fever. Cholera at Lisbon is decreasing.

ITALY.—The U. S. ships Congress, Constitution, and Susquehanna were at Palermo on the 18th and would leave in a fortnight for Genoa.

SWITZERLAND.—Berlin letters state that Napoleon has entered into communication with the Swiss Federal Government, respecting the affairs of Neufchatel. Napoleon leans towards the Prussian side of the question.

PRUSSIA.—A special meeting of the Cabinet was held to consider the question of the Danish Sound dues. The decision is understood to be in favor of capitalization, but the price asked by Denmark is too high.

DENMARK.—M. Andrae, minister of France, has resigned; cause, not stated.

TURKEY.—The frontier commission was at Belgrade the 4th of September, and it was expected the survey would be completed by October. The frontier line is marked off by a furrow under a plough.—The Turks are fortifying both sides of the Danube, with, it is said, the approbation of Austria. Turkish troops have also moved from Widin to Kalafat, on the left bank of the river.

GREECE.—Athens letters say the English and French ministers have drawn up a list of new ministers, which they demanded should be appointed. The Queen refuses to accede, alleging the absence of the King.

A serious conflict had taken place at Trebizond, where some Turkish sailors tore down a Russian flag from a merchant ship, and threw the Russian sailors into the sea. The Russian consul demands the dismissal of the captain of the port.

Madrid journals state that a severe conflict occurred on the 9th between the garrison of Melilla, on the Morocco coast, and the Moors. The Spaniards had 90 killed and 70 wounded. The loss of the Moors was still more severe.

Advices from St. Vincent state that a great portion of the inhabitants had either abandoned the island or died of cholera. At Madeira cholera still existed, but less fatally.

GOLD PRODUCTS INCREASING.—The following is from the California *Mining Journal.* "The gold fields of Australia are yielding more largely than ever, at the rate of nearly £20,000,000 per annum—about $100,000,000. The produce of the first three months of 1856 is nearly double that of the corresponding three months of 1855, being close upon 700,000 ounces.

California, also, is now beginning to increase her contributions to the circulating medium. The greatly improved method of mining, and the rapid development of new diggings added to the increasing produce of the quartz mines, is beginning to be sensibly appreciated. Total shipments for 1854, $47,333,517. Total shipments for 1855, $44,060,374. Total shipments to Aug. 20th, 1856, $31,636,246.

## Aquidneck Fair.

### WORKING OXEN.

1st premium to Leonard Brown, P, $3; 2d do to Charles Slocum, P, $3; 3d do, to Le Brown, P, $4; 4th do, to Rufus Sherman, P, 5th do, William Bailey, M, $2.

### MILCH COWS.

1st premium to George G Chase, N, $ do, to Thomas B. Buffum, M, $4; 3d do, to G [illegible]se, Newport, $3; 4th do, to Wil Lawrence, N, $2; 5th, Thomas B Buffum, M,

### HEIFERS AND HEIFER CALVES.

[illegible] premium to Thomas B Buffum, M, [illegible] old heifer, $3; 2d do to George G Chase, [illegible]port, on 3 years old heifers $2; 1st prem to Stephen P Slocum, N, on 2 years old heif $3; 2d do to Leonard Brown, P, on 2 years heifers, $2; 1st do to Stephen Congdon, M, yearling heifers, $2; 2d do to George G Ch Newport, on yearling heifers, $1; 1st pre on heifer calves to Leonard Brown, P, $ on heifer calves to William Vernon, N, $1.

### MANUFACTURES.

To Messrs Flint, Grant & Co, Fall River, the best parlor and cooking stoves, $3; to Brownell, N, on smoke cap, $1; to T H Nic Fall River, sink funnel, 50c; to C E Ham N, improved lightning rod, Otiser patent, $1 Benjamin Marsh, N, 1st premium on boots, to John N Potter, 2d do on boots, $1; to Fo & Hanks, N, best daguerreotypes and types, $2; to J A Williams, N, 2d best do to T M Seabury, N, best case ladies boots shoes, $2; to Simeon Coggeshall, P, be wagon, $1; to Rowland G Hazard, Peace best ladies and gentlemen's shawls, $2.

The committee also notice a wagon kindling wood exhibited by William J S burne, of Newport, which must be just the for kindling coal, of which every family lay in a supply for the coming winter.

### VEGETABLES.

To Rufus Sherman, P, for best sample Ber da potatoes, $1; Charles Anthony, M, best sample of Democrats, $1; Abel Stevens, N sample of Syracuse whites, very large, yie 550 bushels to the acre, $1; Edward T Peck M, 1st premium on Dovers, $1; Isaac R Sp N, 2d do on Dovers, 50c; Rufus Sherman best sample white Chenangoes, $1; Thom Sherman, P, best California potatoes, $1; Ja M Smith, M, 2d best do do, 50c; J P Ha best West India and Crooknecked Squashes James S Gardner, N, 2d best West India Squ es, 25c; James Robinson, N, for the best mens of cucumbers by impregnation, 25c; lan Wright, N, two fine egg plants, celery, pepper, fine specimens, 25c; Edward Al best specimen of spring wheat, supposed to 25 or 30 bushels to the acre, 50c; Thomas den, T, 2d best do, 25c. We also notice stalks of sugar cane grown by Capt. Padd N, planted 1st of June, measuring 11 height and very sweet. J C Coggeshall sample of carrots, very fine, 25c; Leonard P, for best sample of field onions, 50c; Peckham, M, 2d best do field onion, 25c. W notice a sample of onions not collected B Weaver, M, yielding at the rate of 100 to the acre.

### FANCY ARTICLES.

1st premium for worsted chair to C Ba N,; 2d do for worsted chair to Eliza K ham, N; a beautiful wrought chair seat, W H Sisson, P; a premium for wrought to Mrs F H Bull, of N, 73 years old; 1st um for worsted ottoman to Miss E Steve 2d do for worsted ottoman, Mrs Wm H P, very handsome ottoman covers by Mrs Hull, P; 1st premium for a beautifully screen to Mrs Tenny, N; 2d do for fire Mrs Wm Cornell, of N; 1st premium lamp mats to Mrs Mary P Wilcox, of P, old; 2d do to Mrs P A Coggeshall, of P; mats and slippers by Miss Anna Brown, 1st premium for embroidered skirt to Miss A Sweet, of Providence; 2d do to Miss Cory of Portsmouth. A number of other handsome skirts were contributed, and it with difficulty the committee were able to which were most deserving of the premium premium for embroidered collars to Miss Cory, P; 2d do to Mrs E W Dennis, of same difficulty arose in regard to the coll the skirts. There were a number deser praise for the time and labor bestowed on A premium for trasper collars to Miss Ma Sweet, of Providence; 1st premium for cr collars to Miss Mary J Whitman, M, 2d, to Mary A Barker, of M; 1st premium for cr mats to Miss A Crooker, of N; 2d do for cro mats to Miss Carrie Gilpin, of N; a premium net tidy to Mrs Susan A Eldridge, N; a prem for tape trimming collar to Cynthia Peckha M; crotchet cushions and purse by Mrs Te of N, very neatly executed; a premium for bed covering to Mrs Peleg Coggeshall, of premium for pieced woolen spread of vario ors, displaying a great deal of skill to Mrs Sisson, P; linen spread, spun and wove years ago, by a lady of Newport, contrib Mrs R G Almy, of Portsmouth; 1st premi bed spread to Mrs Robert H Stanton, by prettiest and neatest pieced spread exhib 2d do to Mrs Wm H Sisson of P; a very spread containing 6,800 pieces, contribut Wm M Manchester, of P; a spread by Mrs Dennis, displaying skill and industry; a spread contributed by Mrs Plummer, of M serving credit, especially for the quilting eral others, exhibited by different persons, ing industry and skill. Fancy mats, pin c and book-mark, by Mrs H Chase, of P; 1st mium for domestic fancy hose to Miss Lydi of P; a premium for linen table coverings domestic hose to Miss Dorcas Dennis, of P premium for domestic linen, very old, to Mrs Peckham, of M; a premium for domestic spun and wove by Mrs Ann Peckham in 18 premium for infants' embroidered boots Hathaway, of P; a premium for infants' socks to Miss R Durfee, P; a premium for slippers to Miss Dorcas Dennis, of P; a premium for domestic rug to Mrs T G Rogers, M; mium for a very ingenious bunch of by Miss Rachel Anthony, of M; a premium a Quakeress dol' to Miss Lois Anthony, of playing a great deal of taste and neatn premium for a colored toy exhibited by Babcock; walnut dolls and easy chairs uted by Miss Anthony, very curious and a premium; a number of beautifully carv exhibited by W M Manchester, of P; mini pigs by Miss McCurrie, of M, a very good sentation, a premium; a sandal 100 yea exhibited by E Hathaway, of P; iron man naments exhibited by Miss Mary A Swe dence; carved whalebone exhibited by Wilson; a beautiful velvet cushion with standard, exhibited by Mrs G Swasey, N; neat collar boxes by Mrs George Anth premium; spool bags, by Miss Crooker, neatly done; a premium to Miss Searle chair seat, pieced of various colors, neatly cuted; a premium for a handsomely needle book by E Hathaway, P; ladies ion pin-cushions and feather chairs, exhib Mrs Wm B Chase, a premium; 1st pre shades to Mrs Wm H Sisson, P; 2d do shades to Wm M Manchester, P; anoth lamp shade exhibited by Mrs S D Anth premium to Miss A Rogers for a very bag; a premium for knit baskets, very pretty, to E Hathaway, of P; a splendid silk bed covering exhibited by Mrs J P N, attracted a great deal of attention; a for millinery goods to Miss Mary J very neat and tasty; premium farm house to Mrs William Cornell, of lent; premium to Miss Esther H oriental painting; premium to F A Pec N, for a crayon head very beautifully a premium to Mrs F A Tenny, for from Mount Washington; 1st premium very tastefully ornamented, by Mrs Wm son, of P; 2d do for ornamental stands, Ogden, of Newport; Indian cushions by Mrs Ann Peckham, of M; fancy kets by Mrs Wm Cornell, of N; premi leather work to Mrs G P Gladwin, of beautiful.

### CHILDREN'S DEPARTMENT.

1st premium for crotchet collars to Chase, 2d do for crotchet collars to Smith. A number of others very and deserving great credit. 1st premium broidery to B M Swasey, of N; 2d do dery to Mary A Carter; 1st premium spread, very neatly done, by Lewis G 4½ years old; 2d premium to Robert nine years old; 1st premium for moss Mary Dame, of N; 2d do for moss mie E Smith, of N; a premium for lamp Frederick A Coggeshall. In addition to going the committee notice the following tious articles and flowers:—A number of paintings and drawings exhibited by B H and J G Weaver, of N, added greatly beauty of the hall; a very handsome peacock exhibited by Wanton T Sherman root of a tree from China, and wild ox Sicily, great curiosities, contributed by A Brightman; a splendid collection of by B H Tisdale, much admired; a piece charter oak by John Eldred of N, particularly ticed for its historical notoriety; ivory whales teeth by Caleb Albro, of M; bouquets contributed by Silas Moore, of pretty boquet by Mrs Wm P Sheffield splendid collection of dahlias and Matthew Petya, gardner for Edward N; also a very neat boquet by Edward of N; princess plumes by B Peckham, ty: very pretty wreath and dahlias, Turner, of N; a fine bunch of crys contributed by B H Tisdale, of Newport.

## OUR BOOK TABLE.

*Conquest of Kansas*, Phillips, Sampson & Co. ston. C. E. Hammett, jr., Newport; 1 vol. 12 mo 414. This is a history of the troubles in Kansas from the passage of the organic act until the e of July 1856, by William Phillips, who acted ring that interval as the special correspondent of N Y Tribune. His letters have been widely culated and much commented on, and in these ges we have the sum and substance of his experiences in the contested territory, in the form of a rrative. The book now published he says contains the simple truth, and a fair record of the ents it chronicles, and with these there is a record all the important documents, with the opinions on th sides of many important events. And of the re stirring events in Kansas he says great pains ve been taken to have the outline of the battles d skirmishes correct, and to make the picture as e to nature as possible. The book is written in clear and vigorous manner, and the reader will d that the author keeps to his text without deeming it necessary to relate a miserable batch of campe tales—as has been the case in some instances Kansas correspondence—to keep the interest m flagging.

*Blackwood's Magazine* for September, from Leon d Scott & Co. contains a continuation of The thelings, the very popular tale which has graced pages for the few months past; also part second Sea-side Studies, a chapter on Peninsular Dogs, etches on the way to Stockholm, and The Scot oad—The Man of Diplomacy. Hammett, agent.

*Littell's Living Age*, No 647, is at hand with a all but choice selection of articles calculated to ease its readers. The publishers have made arngements for the separate publication of all tales fficient large, which shall hereafter appear in the ving Age.

It is said Mr. Soule likes Nicaragua so ell that he intends to take his family and ttle there. A recent letter says that the English creditors of the Nicaraguan government now look with confidence to President Walker for the settlement of their laims.

Vast tracts of low land in Venezuela ave been prepared for the cultivation of otton, which, it is thought, will in a few ears be the staple crop of that fine country.

### Brighton Market, Thursday last.

At market, 1900 Beef Cattle 500 Stores, 15 Working Oxen, 120 Cows and Calves, 5000 Sheep nd Lambs, and 1100 Swine.

*Beef Cattle*—Extra $8 50; first quality $7 75; second do, $65.0; third $7 75; ordinary $4.50a5.

*Stores*—Yearlings $11 a $14. Two years old, 18 a 24. Three years old, $27 a 35.

*Hides*—8c. Tallow, 9c.

*Pelts*—85 each, Calf Skins, 14c.

*Working Oxen*—$100 110 120, 135, 140a165.

*Sheep and Lambs*—Extra, $4, 4,50, 5a6. By lot, 1,50, 1.75, 2 a 3.

*Swine*—Spring Pigs 6¼ a 7¼c. Retail 7 a 8c.—at still Hogs, 6½ a 7c.

### New Bedford Oil Market.

SPERM is in good demand and holders are firm. Sales amount to 1200 bbls at 150 cts per gallon.

WHALE remains without change. Sales of 800 bbls have been made, a large portion black, at 78 cts. per gallon.

WHALEBONE—Sales of 800C lbs Ochotsk at 60 c. and 3000 lbs small Ochotsk a 1 65 cts.

## Special Notices.

### WM. G. TURNER, DENTIST.

Offers his professional services to the citizens and visitors of Newport.

Rooms over 135 Thames street, nearly opposite the Post Office.

Refers to the Faculty of the Baltimore College of Dental Surgery. June 14.

### Wm. H. Smith,

**DENTIST,**
**ROOMS DIRECTLY OVER THE POST OFFICE,**
June 23. Newport, R. I.

### R. F. BERRY.

DENTIST.
—OFFICE—
CORNER OF THAMES AND MARY STREETS.
Newport, March 20, 1852.

☞ We cannot refrain from calling the attention of our readers to an advertisement in this day's paper of the "Hair Restoratorative" of Prof. O. J. Wood & Co., of St. Louis.—It will be seen that he has numerous certificates from persons of the highest character, to the merits of his Restorative,—From positive knowledge we are also enabled to say, that it is in every case what it professes to be, and we do not hesitate to pronounce it the finest preparation for the head and hair which has so far been devised by human ingenuity. We have seen it arrest threatened baldness, and restore to the head its original profusion of natural and glossy hair, and when the latter has been prematurely tinged with gray, we have seen it like magic, restore the colors of youth and health. The distinguished property of this, we might truly say, miraculous "Restorative," is that it gives to the person who uses it, the same head of hair they wore in youth, thus acting in strict compliance with the rules of the first and greatest of all toilet makers—Nature. No one who has used it will hesitate to unite with us in this testimony to its peculiar merit.—Covington (Ia.) People's Friend.

Holloway's Pills are indispensible to the security of health and life in new settlements. Fever and ague, billious and remittents, and bowel complaints, are the worst enemies the western pioneer has to encounter, and he can only certainly and permanently put them to flight with the aid of this unrivalled cathartic, detergent, and restorative. There are multitudes of sallow and feeble invalids, now languishing in the western clearings, under the endemic diseases of that region, who would soon find their healthy appearance, strength and cheerfulness return, under a course of Holloway's Pills.

### Wistar's Balsam of Wild Cherry,

*The great Remedy for CONSUMPTION, and all other Diseases of the Pulmonary Organs.*

The greater the value of any discovery, the higher it is held in the esteem of the public, and so much in proportion is that public liable to be imposed upon by the spurious imitations of ignorant, designing and dishonest men.

Now that this preparation is well known to be a more certain cure for incipient COSUMPTION, ASTHMA, LIVER COMPLAINT, COUGHS, BRONCHITIS and all similar affections, than any remedy known, there are found those so villainously wicked as to concoct a spurious and perhaps a poisonous mixture, and try to palm it off as the genuine Balsam.

This is to caution dealers and the public generally, against purchasing any other than that having the written signature of I. BUTTS, on the wrapper.

SETH W. FOWLE & CO, 138 Washington st, Boston, proprietors. Sold by HAZARD & CASWELL, Newport, and by Druggists generally.

### To Nervous Sufferers.

A RETIRED CLERGYMAN, restored to health in a few days, after many years of great nervous suffering, is anxious to make known the means of cure. Will send (free) the prescription used. Direct the Rev. JOHN M. DAGNALL, No. 59 Fulton street, Brooklyn, N. Y.
Sept 20—3m.

WOOD'S HAIR RESTORATIVE.—We have never known any other medicine win as large a share of public confidence in so short a time as this has done. It has not been more than a year since we first heard of it and it now stands at the head of all remedies of the kind. We have never used any of it ourselves, having had no occasion, as our "crown of glory" not only as yet retains its original color, but gets more so—but some of our friends have, and we have never known it fail of restoring the hair to its original color. We advise such as are becoming prematurely gray to give the "Restorative" trial.—[Chester (Illinois) Herald, June, 1854.

AN EMINENT PHYSICIAN

having retired from the business, is anxious to furnish persons suffering from nervous debility with a remedy he has never known to fail. To any who may be laboring under this distressing malady he would send the prescription free. Address JAMES W. BUTCHER, 113 Chamber street, New York.
June 28.—3m

## MARRIED,

In this city at Zion Church, 8th instant, by Rev. Mr. Dickinson, Mr. ALBERT HAMMETT to Miss SARAH MATILDA, daughter of Capt. George Howland, all of this city.

In this city 9th instant, by Rev. Mr. Brooks, Mr. WILLIAM O. GLADDING, of Bristol, to Miss CYNTHIA ANN STEVENS, youngest daughter of Mr. John J. Stacey, of this city.

At Randolph, Mass., 6th inst., by Rev. Benjamin Wheeler, Mr. BENJAMIN I. HAZARD, of Georgetown, S. C., (formerly of this city.) to Miss SARAH F., daughter of J. Wilson Ingell, Esqr. of the former place.

In Westport 28th ult., Mr. AARON BRADFORD, of Fairhaven, to Miss JULIA PIERCE, of Little Compton.

In Warren 2d inst., Mr CHARLES S. SISSON to Miss ANN E. PECK, both of W.

In Pawtucket 1st inst., Mr WILLIAM T. HULL to Mrs. SUSAN WATERMAN, both of Providence.

## DIED.

In this city 5th inst., WASHINGTON T., youngest son of Mr William S. Cranston, aged 14 months.

In this city 6th inst., Mr HENRY BARBER, printer, in the 76th year of his age.

In this city 8th inst., TAFT C., son of Mr Benjamin P. Bennett, aged 10 months

At Grand Lake, Chicot county, Arkansas, 10th ult., JOHN ASA SHAW, aged 14 years, son of the late Rev. Benjamin Shaw, formerly of this city.

He died calm and peaceful, and among his last words were—"Lord Jesus receive my spirit."

In Portsmouth 14th ult., HARRIET HALL, daughter of Mr Joseph W. Chase, aged 6 months.

In Providence 7th inst., LUCY C., daughter of Mr Edward Hooker, aged 7 months; 8th, SYLVANIA, widow of the late Silas Clapp, aged 73 years.

### New York Grain Market.

Wheat has reduced 2 a 5 cents; sales of White Michigan and Illinois at $1,55 a 1,58½; Red Illinois $1,45 a 1,46; Red Indiana, $1,45 a 1,50; White Canada, $1,58 a 1,65; White Ohio, $1 58; Red Ohio, $1,35 a 1,40; White Missouri, $1,61; Red do, $1,50; White Southern, $1,53 a 1,62; inferior to choice do, $1,35 a 1,60; inferior mixed Indiana, $1,20; Chicago Spring, $1,28 a 1 30; and Milwaukie Club, $1,35. The Rye market is quiet but firm, sales at 90 a 92 for prime new Barley is firmer, sales good two-rowed State at $1,30. The Corn market is nominally the same, sales at 61 a 63 cents for unsound Western mixed, 65 a 66 for good and prime do., 70 a 76 for White Southern, 70 a 71 for Yellow do, and 67 a 68 for mixed do. Oats continue in fair demand, and the market is firm at 44 a 46 for State, 45 a 47 for Western, 42 a 44 for Jersey, and 38 a 41 for Pennsylvania and Southern.

### WEEKLY ALMANAC.

| OCTOBER 1856 | SUN rises | SUN sets. | MOON sets. | HIGH water |
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| 11 SATURDAY, | 6 8 | 5 25 | 3 0 | 4 41 |
| 12 SUNDAY, | 6 9 | 5 23 | 4 17 | 5 33 |
| 13 MONDAY, | 6 10 | 5 22 | rises. | 6 24 |
| 14 TUESDAY, | 6 11 | 5 20 | 5 41 | 7 19 |
| 15 WEDNESDAY, | 6 13 | 5 19 | 6 15 | 8 10 |
| 16 THURSDAY, | 6 14 | 5 17 | 6 55 | 9 7 |
| 17 FRIDAY, | 6 15 | 5 15 | 7 45 | 10 7 |

Full Moon, 13th day, 6 hour, 15 m. even.

### MARINE INTELLIGENCE.

—ARRIVED.—

SUNDAY, Oct 5.—Bark May, Pitman, Shields, Eng, for Prov.

Schr J H Oder, Baker, Boston for N York.

MONDAY, Oct. 6—Schr Sylph, Holby, Prov for N Y; Julia Ann, Staples, Calais for do; Cerino, Rider, Millbridge for do; C Stone, Burrington, Bangor for do; Myrtle, Benton, Long Island for Prov; F J Cummings, Baker, Prov for Phil; H Curtis, Johnson, do for do; Caroline, Robbins, Belfast for Bridgeport.

TUESDAY, Oct 7.—Sld, sch Harriet Lewis, Butler, for Darien, Ga.

WEDNESDAY, Oct 8th.—Schr Metis, Crane, Camden for Wilmington; Rosere, Crawford, Bangor for Prov; E Treat, Hillsbrook, do for do.

Cld—bark Saranac, Bigley, for Havana.

THURSDAY, Oct 9th.—Brig Liberal, Adblam, Jamaica for Weymouth, NS; Lonsdale, Crowell, Boston for Phil.

### MEMORANDA.

Arr at Charleston, S C., 9th, ship Sylvia, Swasey, 34 days from Liverpool.

At Jacksonville, abt 1st, brig Vermont, Smith, for Philadelphia, ldg.

## New Advertisements.

### PROVIDENCE CONFERENCE SEMINARY.

**East Greenwich, R. I.**

LOCATION UNRIVALLED for beauty and health—on the Narragansett—accessible by Cars daily. Superior facilities in all branches, *Common* and *Higher*, *Solid* and *Ornamental*, taught in Academies of highest grade.

Board, fuel and lights per term of eleven weeks $22. Tuition from $4, to $6,75. Entire cost in Common English need not exceed $27,50 per term, or $102 per year if paid in advance.

Winter Session opens Nov. 6th—continues till April 2d. For *Circulars* or *Catalogues* address,
Oct 11 GEO. M. QUEREAU, Principal.

### COMMISSIONERS' NOTICE.

THE SUBSCRIBERS hereby give notice that they have been by the Court of Probate of the city of Newport, appointed commissioners to receive and examine the claims of the creditors on the estate of

*JOHN RING,*

late of Newport, deceased, and that six months from the 7th day of October, 1856, is allowed the creditors of said estate to present their claims and prove the same, and that we will meet on the last Saturdays in January, February and March.—Notice is hereby given to all persons who have claims against the said deceased estate to present the same to

CLARK BURDICK,
JOHN SCOTT, } *Comm'rs.*
THOMAS F. KAULL,
Oct 11—6w.

### GUARDIAN'S NOTICE.

THE UNDERSIGNED, having been appointed by the Court of Probate, of the City of Newport, Guardian of the estate and person of ALMIRA NEWCOMB, and estate of MARY ELIZABETH NEWCOMB, minor children of *WILLIAM NEWCOMB,* of Newport, deceased, and qualified himself according to law, requests all persons having claims to present them, and those indebted to make immediate payment.
Oct 11 CLARK BURDICK, Guardian.

### Administrator's Notice.

THE SUBSCRIBER hereby gives public notice that he has been appointed Administrator on the estate of

*JOHN RING,*

late of Newport deceased, and has accepted of said trust and given bond according to law; he therefore requests all persons who are indebted to make immediate payment to him, and also all persons who have claims against the said estate to present them to the Commissioners.
Oct 11—3w JOHN RING, Adm'r.

### FALL AND WINTER CLOTHING.

GENTLEMEN about purchasing their Fall and Winter Clothing are reminded that SWINBURNE & GOFFE, 135 Thames street, have on hand a large assortment of Over, Frock and Business Coats, Vests and Pants, together with a large assortment of Furnishing Goods which are selling cheap for cash, 2 doors north Post Office.
Oct 11

CALL AT 135 THAMES STREET, 2 doors north Post Office, and examine the richest assortment of Over Coats ever before offered in this city, having been manufactured to order by one of the first class houses in the city of New York, for quality, style and workmanship, are unsurpassed.
Oct 11 SWINBURNE & GOFFE.

**Gurnsey Frocks**, large size and very heavy this day received.
SWINBURNE & GOFFE.
Oct 11 2 doors north Post Office.

**Soft Hats**—One case of Low Crown French Felt Hats, this day received at
SWINBURNE & GOFFE'S,
Oct 11 2 doors north Post Office

**5 CASES UMBRELLAS**, from 62 cents to $6,50 a piece. Also, the patent folding Umbrella, this day received at
SWINBURNE & GOFFE'S
Oct 11 2 doors north Post Office.

### FALL GOODS

received at
**126 Thames Street.**

DRESS GOODS, RIBBONS, Shawls, Talmas, Gloves, Trimming Goods, Sheetings, Shirtings, Flannels, Blankets, &c.
Oct 11 CHAS. W. TURNER.

**Umbrellas**—A new stock of silk and cotton Umbrellas received at
126 Thames st,
Oct 11 C. W. TURNER.

**Shaker Flannels** for sale by
C. W. TURNER,
Oct 11 126 Thames st.

### Look! Look!! Look!!

Piano Fortes to rent cheap for the winter.—Please call and examine, it costs you nothing for looking, at
Oct 11 WARD'S Book & Music store.

### New Books.

The Young American's Life of Fremont, by Francis C Woodworth,

Dred—a tale of the Great Dismal Swamp, by Harriet Beecher Stowe,

It is never too late to mend, by Chas Reade, at
WARD'S Book and Music Store,
Oct 11 99 Thames street.

### Portemonnaies, &c.

Beautiful assortment of Portemonnaies and ladies money bags.

A new supply of nice note and letter paper, of different sizes and colors.

A new lot of wrapping paper, consisting of tea, shoe, manilla and straw papers. Merchants would do well to call and examine—prices low, at
Oct 11 WARD'S Book & Music store.

## New Advertisements.

*PROFESSOR WOOD'S*

### HAIR RESTORATIVE,

IT HAS WORKED MIRACLES!

THAT ALL THE BALD AND GRAY CAN be restored perfectly to original growth and color, so far as their locks are concerned does not admit of doubt; besides, it will cure every possible disease of the scalp, whether developed as dandruff itching or in the shape of cutaneous eruptions—even scald head—and in no possible case will it fail of curing as if by magic—nervous or periodical headache, and if used twice a week by the young regularly, it will preserve the color, and keep the hair from falling to any imaginable age. Read and judge.

Milford, Worcester Co., Mass., Nov. 1856

PROF. O. J. WOOD—Dear Sir; I take pleasure in bearing voluntary testimony to the magic effects of your wonderful Hair Restorative. As far back as 1836, my hair commenced falling off, until the top of my scalp became bald and smooth as glass, and it has continued to fall for a great many years, notwithstanding I have used many celebrated preparations for restoring it. Seeing your advertisement, I was induced to give your article a trial, and to my utter astonishment, found, after a few applications, that my hair became firmly set, and assumed a glossy and beautiful appearance; and by the time I had used a quart bottle, my bald head was covered over with a long and vigorous growth of hair, which is now from one to two inches in length, and growing fast. Yours, truly, HENRY GOODRICH.

CHARLESTOWN, Mass., Aug. 1855.

Gents:—Nothing but a duty and sympathy that I feel to communicate to others that are afflicted as I have been would induce me to give this public acknowledgement of the benefit I have received from Prof. Wood's Hair Restorative. When I first commenced using it, my hair was quite gray, and in spots entirely bald. I have now used the Restorative about five months, and my hair is entirely changed to its original color, brown, and the new hair is over three inches long on the spots where it was bald. I have also been much gratified at the healthy moisture and vigor of the hair, which before was dry, and it has ceased to come out as formerly. Respectfully, &c. Mrs. R. A. STODDARD.

From Mrs. Ingalls, a well known nurse in Boston.

Boston Oct. 19th, 1855.

Gents:—At your request, and being so highly pleased with the effects of the Restorative, I am free to state that my hair had become quite thin, and entirely white. I have for the last five years been in the habit of using dye, but hearing of the extraordinary effects of this article, I was induced to try it. My hair has been restored to its original thickness, and also to its former color, which is light brown.

Yours respectfully: Mrs. INGALLS.

The following is from the Pastor of the Orthordox Church, Brookfield.

BROOKFIELD, Mass., Jan. 12, 1855.

Prof. Wood—Dear Sir—Having made trial of your Hair Restorative, it gives me pleasure to say that its effects have been excellent in removing inflamation, dandruff, and a constant tendency to itching, with which I have been troubled from my childhood, and has also restored the hair to its original color. I have used no other article, with anything like the same pleasure and profit.

Yours, truly, J. K. BRAGG.

[From the Jersey City Telegraph.]

WHAT IS IT FOR—THIS WOOD'S HAIR RESTORATIVE?—Is a question asked daily by hundreds. We answer without hesitation or fear of contradiction, that is the only article known which will do all it promises for the human hair. It will renew its growth—it will stop its falling—it will restore its natural color! It is not a Hair Dye, but a speedy and efficacious Restorative.

O. J. WOOD & CO. Proprietors, 312 Broadway, N Y, and 114 Market street, St Louis, Missouri.

Sold in Newport, by HAZARD & CASWELL—in Providence, by J BALCH & SON and A H FIELD. Oct 11—3m

### Merchants Bank.

AT THE ANNUAL MEETING of the Stockholders of the Merchants Bank, Oct. 6, 1856, the following gentlemen were elected Directors for the ensuing year:—

John V Hammett, Seth Bateman,
Silas H Cottrell, George A Richmond,
Richard Swan, David J Gould, and
Wm. B. Sherman,

And at a meeting of the Directors same day, SILAS H. COTTRELL, Esq., was elected President.
CHAS. D. HAMMETT, Cashier.
Oct 11—1w.

### AUCTION.

*Will be sold at Auction, without reserve, on SATURDAY Oct. 25th, at 11 o'clock A. M., in front of N. White's Blacksmith's Shop, in Broad street,*

TWO NEW LUMBER WAGONS and three Hand Carts. Also, one Butcher's Meat Cask.
Oct 11 S. A. PARKER, Auctioneer.

### Clothing, Hats, Caps, &c.

THE INCREASING demand for Clothing, Hats, Caps, and furnishing Goods, has obliged me to enlarge my store by which I am enabled to give more light, more room and a larger variety to select from Call soon with the money in your hand and you are at liberty to purchase close and I will assure you a good trade.
Oct 11 J. H. COZZENS, 152 Thames st.

**Winter Clothing**, very cheap for thirty days. Having a very large stock of Over Coats and other garments for the approaching Winter, and wanting money to meet my own bills within the above named time, I have determined to raise the same from my sales if low cash prices will be any inducement to my customers to make early purchases,
Oct 11 J. H. COZZENS, 152 Thames st.

**Clothing for the People**, now opening the largest stock of Ready Made Clothing, Hats, Caps and Furnishing Goods, that I ever offered to the citizens of Newport.
Oct 11 J. H. COZZENS, 152 Thames st.

**Felt Hats** of almost every quality and style, just received at 152 Thames street.
Oct 11 J. H. COZZENS.

**Trunks**, VALICES AND CARPET BAGS, a large lot just received at 152 Thames st.
Oct 11 J. H. COZZENS.

### The American Paint and Grease Extractor.

IT Works like magic! in the removal of Paint, Grease, Oils, Tar, &c., from Shawls, Dresses, Carpets, also all goods. It does not injure color or fabric in the least. Every body should keep a jar on hand. Manufactured only by
HAZARD & CASWELL,
Oct 11 12 Washington Sqr. 137 Thames st.

**Sack Flannels**—Col'd Flannels for sacks and talmas, received at
Oct 11 126 Thames st.

### NEW STOCK
—OF—
# FANCY GOODS
—AND—
# TOYS.

## HOLDEN, CUTTER & CO.

IMPORTERS,
15 & 17 Kilby Street,
BOSTON.

TOYS and FANCY GOODS by the case, well assorted in each case, from $10 to $125 per case. Agents for SANDERSON & LANERGAN'S Celebrated FIRE WORKS.

☞ Orders from the country solicited.
Oct 4—3m.

### BOUNTY LAND.

I HAVE RECEIVED from the Commissioner of Pensions, instructions and forms, under the act of March, 1855, and will assist Soldiers and Seamen or their widows in preparing their claims for Bounty Land under said act. My participation in the war of 1812-15, and the documents and evidence in my possession, give me facilities beyond any other person in this part of our State.
GEORGE C. SHAW.
*LAND WARRANTS BOUGHT AND SOLD.*
Oct 4—3w

### BERKELEY INSTITUTE.

WINTER TERM commences on the 1st Monday of November. This school has three departments, (English, Classical and French) and a full corps of teachers.

For circulars giving particulars, with references apply at the school, 10 Washington square.

A. DALTON, }
WM. C. LEVERETT, } Principals.
Newport, Sept 27—1m

### BLISS' ROAD NURSERY.

**For Sale**—PEAR TREES of the best sorts, many of them in bearing condition, and all grafted on the "Anger's Quince stock." Also a fine stock of deciduous, & evergreen trees and shrubs. Apply to
FRANCIS TALBOT,
Oct 4 or ALFRED SMITH.

### Piano-Fortes.

JUST come in, a prime second-hand Piano-Forte, which will be let for the winter on favorable terms. Also, two new instruments, which can be had if desired, at a very low figure, on sale or hire, at the
Oct 4 CITY MUSIC STORE.

## Auction Sales.

BY THOS. A. DOYLE,
*No. 7 Broad Street, Providence.*

### Desirable Farm and Country Residence.

Will be sold at public auction, on WEDNESDAY, October 15th, at 1 o'clock P. M., on the premises,

One of the most desirable farms for a country residence yet offered to the public, situated in Tiverton, five miles from Fall River and one mile from the Stone Bridge House.

It is located on the side of Mount Hope Bay and slopes gently toward the southwest, extending from the bay to the main road leading from Fall River to the Stone Bridge House.

The farm contains about three hundred acres and will be sold in one parcel or in parts on the double speeder plan, as the bids may decide.

The view from this farm is one of the finest that can be desired, overlooking Mount Hope Bay, the island of Rhode Island, Narragansett Bay and its islands.

The soil is excellent. About one-third of the farm is woodland, and there is abundance of pure water upon the place.

Upon the farm there is a good two story house, with barns and other outbuildings, and an orchard in bearing order.

For further information apply to ISAAC MANCHESTER on the premises, BENJAMIN BARKER, Fall River, or to THOMAS A. DOYLE, No. 7 Broad street, Providence.
Oct 4—ts.

*FIRST ANNUAL*

### AUCTION SALE!

BY CATALOGUE, of valuable New Carriages and Harness, at Elliott's Eddy Street Carriage Depository and Horse Bazaar, Providence, R. I. on Wednesday, October 15th, 1856, at 10 A. M., to close consignments and pay advances, on a credit of four and six months for satisfactory endorsed notes, payable at [illegible], interest added from day of sale. The entire [illegible] of Carriages and Harnesses contained in this establishment, consisting in part of the following described property:—

1 Superior French Coach, elegantly trimmed with silk, and finished in all its parts in the most costly manner; 1 Coach, trimmed with cloth, Mexican pattern, and finished in the best manner; 1 Coach drab lined, swing windows, first rate article; 1 Brett Coach, trimmed with dark Green cloth, of very superior style and finish; 1 six Passenger Family Carriage, a superior article for family use.

### LIGHT CARRIAGES!

6 Superior Lance Wood Chaises, very light, of high cost and finish; 6 do. Roll up sides; 6 Shifting Top Wagons, a superior article and very light; 4 superior Shifting Top Box Waggons, of high finish; 12 Roll up Top Buggies, a well made article; 12 superior Open Wagons, very light, of high cost and finish; 10 Carryalls, of superior construction and workmanship; 2 Beach wagons, with tops and side doors; 3 two seat Opera Wagons; 6 Box wagons, without tops; 6 Express wagons, of various sizes; 75 second hand Carriages, consisting of Chaises, Buggies, Carryalls and Wagons; 75 silver mounted Chaise, Buggy and Carryall Harnesses of superior style and finish; 12 setts Double Harnesses, of high cost and finish.

The above stock is well worth the attention of purchasers, as most of the Carriages as well as the Harnesses have been made especially for my Private Sales, and under my own direction. An opportunity is now offered, which seldom occurs to purchase this class work at auction.

☞ The attention of Manufacturers and Dealers is invited to this sale, and consignments respectfully solicited. All consignments should be sent in at least five days previous to the Sale, in order to insure an insertion in the catalogue.

N. B Catalogues will be ready, and the stock arranged for examination three days before the Sale.

Providence, Oct 4—ts.

*Will be sold at Public Auction, on SATURDAY, October 11th, at 11 o'clock, A. M., on the premises,*

ALL THE RIGHT, title and interest that Simeon Hazard had at the time of his decease, in and to three lots of land situated North and North Easterly from the Fillmore House, and one lot fronting on Catherine street.

By order of the Administrator,
Sept 13 SAML. A. PARKER, Auct'r.

## For Sale or To Let

### TO LET.

FOR THE WINTER or by the year, the furnished House, situated on the corner of Cottage and Redwood Streets, and known as the "LADD COTTAGE."

Apply on the premises during the month of October. Oct 4—5w

### Trees for Sale

At the nursery in Portsmouth, near Lawton's Tea House, consisting of Larch, Norway, Spruce, Balsam Firs, Catalpa, Chinese and American Aborvitæ, Maples, two kind of Ash, Red Willow, Buckthorn, Apple, Pear and Cherry Trees at short notice.
Oct 4—tf EDMUND S. SISSON.

### FARM FOR SALE.

A FARM in Middletown, 4½ miles from Newport, containing 82 acres, very convenient to divide into two farms, will be sold reasonable if applied for soon.
Oct 4—tf EDMUND S. SISSON.

### FOR SALE.

THE LOT on the corner of Kay and Bull sts., belonging to the legatees of the estate of Henry J. Hudson, deceased. This lot is considered one of the most desirable locations in the city of Newport; it measures 81 feet on Kay street, and 126 feet on Bull street, and contains 10,246 square feet of land. Other land adjoining, fronting on Bull street, can probably be had by a purchaser, if desired. For further particulars apply to
DAVID G. & GEORGE I. COOK,
Newport, Sept 20, 1856. Executors.

### Land for Sale.

TEN ACRES of land situated on the West road, about one mile from the City, opposite the George Irish estate.

Said land slopes gradually to the South-west, commanding a fine view of the bay and harbor, and is very desirable as a building lot.

Apply to R. F. BERRY,
Aug 2 Corner of Mary and Thames st.

### For Sale.

The subscriber offers for sale the two story house and lot in Oak street. On the lot is a building 36 feet by 20, two stories high, rain water cistern and well of good water.
Apply to
April 12 JOHN PEARSON.

### For Sale.

The sloop CONGRESS, of seventy tons, in good order.
For particulars enquire of
S H COTTRELL & CO.
May 10—tf

### FOR SALE.

ONE new Buggy, and one second hand Carryall, in first rate order by
CORNELL & DENNIS
June 7 22 Broad Street.

### FOR SALE.

A first class covered buggy, entirely new. For particulars inquire at THIS OFFICE, or o
MICAH W. SPENCER,
April 5—tf 41 Thames St.

### FOR SALE OR TO LET.

THE HOTEL on Kay Street, known as the "Kay Street House," now occupied by Joseph Bateman, Apply to
Sept 27—6w* S. ENGS.

### TO LET.

THREE THOUSAND DOLLARS to let. Real Estate security required.
Apply to
Sept 27 AUGUSTUS BUSH.

### TO LET.

THE UNION FACTORY, in Portsmouth; possession given immediately. Apply to
JOHN D. NORTHAM,
April 19. Agent.

### TO LET.

THE CHAMBERS of the house at the corner of Church and School streets, opposite the Masonic Lodge, consisting of six rooms. Enquire
May 31. ON THE PREMISES.

### FOR SALE.

PEW No. 111 Broad Isle, Zion Church. Fo terms apply at
June 28. 41 THAMES ST

### FOR SALE.

THE ESTATE on Spring street, known as the "Polley Tilley estate." For terms apply to
Sept. 20 SAMUEL A PARKER.

## Business Cards.

**JOHN R. STANHOPE, JR.,**
**Shipping & Commission Merchant,**
65 BROAD STREET,
New-York.

Orders for the Purchase and Shipment of Merchandise promptly executed.

Refers to Edward Corning, Esq. and Messrs. Stanton, Sheldon & Co. June 21.

**HALLET, DAVIS & CO'S.**
PIANO FORTES,

Are acknowledged by Artists and Amateurs to be Equal to any in the world for Brilliancy of tone, Beauty and Durability of Workmanship.

Rooms 407 Washington Street Boston.

*Authorized Agent* for Newport, A. J. WARD, Thames Street, where a supply of their Instruments can always be found. July 12—1y

**BENJ. M. SEABURY,**
AUCTION AND COMMISSION MERCHANT,
150 THAMES STREET, NEWPORT, R. I.

P.S.—Prompt attention paid to and quick returns made for all consignments. July 19

**THOS. R. BUFFUM,**
BREEDER OF
*SOUTH-DOWN SHEEP*
AND
**North-Devon Cattle,**
NEAR 2 MILE CORNER.
Middletown, 3mo 15.—1y

**HENRY H. YOUNG,**
WHOLESALE AND RETAIL DEALER IN
GROCERIES, SHIP STORES, PROVISIONS, WINES, PRODUCE, FLOUR, TEAS, FINE OLD BRANDIES, CIGARS, TOBACCO, SUGARS, PORK, BEEF, POTATOES, FISH, FLUID, OIL, &c., &c.

And general Commission Merchant, Nos. 66 & 68 Thames street, corner Parade.

☞ Goods warranted and delivered free.

**CHARLES P. BARBER,**
Nos. 4 & 6 SOUTH SIDE MARKET SQUARE,
DEALER AT WHOLESALE AND RETAIL
IN CHOICE GROCERIES, OF EVERY DESCRIPTION—FRESH TEAS, FLOUR, PROVISIONS, &c.

Also, Hay, Straw, Corn, Oats, Meal and Feed of all kinds—Plaster Hair, Sole Leather, &c.

**MUMFORD SEABURY,**
DEALER IN
**Boots and Shoes of all Kinds,**
NO. 146 THAMES STREET.
☞ Boots and Shoes made and repaired. ☜
March 1.

**T. & J. COGGESHALL,**
**Commission Merchants,**
—AND DEALERS IN—
**Ship Chandlery, Ship Stores, &c.**
*AMERICAN AND ENGLISH* [illegible]
OF SUPERIOR QUALITIES.
12 Commercial Wharf,..........Newport, R. I.

**J. H. COZZENS,**
152 THAMES STREET,
DEALER IN
CLOTHING, HATS, CAPS, FURNISHING GOODS, OIL SUITS, TRUNKS, VALICES, CARPET BAGS, &C.

**Albert Sherman,**
—DEALER IN—
**DRY GOODS & MILLINERY,**
No. 269
SOUTH THAMES STREET,
NEWPORT, R. I.

**NATHAN M. CHAFEE,**
PLUMBER, BRASS FOUNDER,
*AND COPPER SMITH,*
No. 210 THAMES STREET,
Feb 16. Newport

**JOHN H. GREENE,**
**BUILDER;**
(Formerly of the firm of Burroughs & Greene,)
*SHOP No. 32 LEVIN STREET,*
RESIDENCE No. 33 WILLIAM STREET,
Newport, R. I.

Having attached to my shop a Horse Power, I am prepared to execute all orders with cheapness and despatch. Feb 16.—1y

**EDWARD C. HAYES,**
**Boot & Shoe Maker,**
NO. 7 WASHINGTON SQUARE
NEAR THE FOUNTAIN, NEWPORT, R. I.
☞ Repairing promptly and neatly executed.
Feb 23.—1y

**BOSS & DAVIS,**
BREAD, CAKE & CRACKER BAKERS,
205 THAMES STREET, NEWPORT.
ISAAC S. BOSS. SIMEON DAVIS.

**WILLIAM B. HALE,**
**BUILDER.**

All orders left at No. 18, corner of Mount Vernon and Barney street, will meet with prompt attention.

N. B.—Repairing done with neatness and despatch. Sept 22

**C. C. VANZANDT,**
ATTORNEY & COUNSELLOR AT LAW
Office in the Newport Mercury Building,
*No. 123 Thames Street. (Up Stairs.)*

**AUGUSTUS FRENCH,**
DEALER IN
**Bonnet and Millinery Goods,**
No. 96 Thame street.

**R. H. STANTON,**
DEALER IN
PROVISIONS, SHIP STORES, GROCERIES, TEAS, FRUIT, &c. &c.

At store No. 98 Thames st, opposite Colonnade Row.

Goods of any description forwarded to customers with despatch. Jan 1

**D. B. GULICK,**
**Engraver on Wood,**
191 WASHINGTON STREET,
[ENTRANCE ON NORFOLK AVENUE,]
Dec 15—1y Boston.

## Furniture.

### FURNITURE.

A new and fashionable lot of **Furniture** just received by

*COTTRELL & BRYER,*

consisting of Wardrobes, Sofas, Tete-a-Tetes Lounge Bedsteads, Card Tables, Extension do. Bureaus, Bedsteads, Side-Boards, What-Nots Teapoys, Quartetts, Ottomons, Chairs, Looking Glasses.

ALSO

*MATRESSES, FEATHER BEDS, &c.*

All of which will be sold at the lowest market prices.

Coffins of all descriptions manufactured at the shortest notice. COTTRELL & BRYER,
June 16, 1855.—1y 37 Church st.

### FURNITURE.

THE SUBSCRIBERS have just received a general assortment of furniture, consisting of Mahogany Sofas, Tete-a-Tetes, Lounges, Gondola Chairs, Rocking Chairs, Mahogany and Black Walnut spring seat setting chairs, a new style, Ottomans, Rosewood, Mahogany and Black Walnut Side and Centre-Tables, (marble tops) Black Walnut and Mahogany Bedsteads, Bureaus, and Wash Stands, Mahogany and Black Walnut Hat Trees, &c, &c.

—ALSO—

A complete assortment of common and low priced Furniture, Hair, Husk, and Straw Mattrasses.

N. B. Coffins of Mahogany, Black Walnut, White Wood and Pine, with Robes, Plates and other trimmings constantly on hand and furnished at the shortest notice.

LANGLEY & BENNETT,
May 2. 10 Franklin street.

### CHAIRS.

THE SUBSCRIBER having taken the building just below the Unitarian Church, intends keeping, and has just received a good assortment of *OAK, WALNUT and MAPLE, CHAIRS.*

Chair and Furniture Painting done with neatness and dispatch.

*Cane and Flag Seat Chairs* repaired and repainted by CHARLES BROWNELL, Jr.
June 14—6m. 29 Mill street.

## DRY GOODS.

NEW
**FALL**
AND
**WINTER**
**DRY GOODS,**
*ARE RECEIVED AT*
**JAMES HAMMOND'S.**
October 4

**Ladies Wool Talmas**, received at
126 Thames street
Oct 4 CHAS. W. TURNER.

**New Kid Gloves**, received at
126 Thames street,
Oct 4 CHAS. W. TURNER.

**Hose**—Ladies and Misses Ribbed Wool Hose, for sale at 126 Thames street,
Oct 4 CHAS. W. TURNER

**Franklin**, Wenonah, Wamsutta and Ladies Choice Bleached Cottons, at
Oct 4 CHAS W TURNER'S

**Opera Hoods**—a great variety for sale at
126 Thames street,
Oct 4 CHAS W TURNER.

**Brown Cotton Sheetings** and Shirtings, at
CHAS W TURNER'S,
Oct 4 126 Thames street.

### BLANKETS.

WM C COZZENS & CO. have received their fall supply of Blankets, consisting of 9.10, 14 1 4 and 12 1-4 Bath and Whitney blankets.—Very superior 11 1-4 and 12 1 4 American Blankets, and all the common and intermediate qualities of Blankets. Also, a large lot of ready made Comfortables of all sizes. For sale cheap.
Oct 4

**Carpets**—Wm C Cozzens & Co., at their carpet ware rooms, have on hand and are receiving, a large and very handsome stock of Carpetings, consisting of Brussels, Wilton, three ply, and Superfine Ingrain. Also, some common low-priced Carpets, very cheap, Hearth Rugs, Door Mats, &c.

Also Dutch Crapes, List and other low-priced Carpets.

**Carpets at 75 cents**—Wm C Cozzens & CO. have 15 pieces of very good Ingrain Carpets all wool and handsome, which are cheap at 75 cents. Oct 4

**10** PIECES of very superior Linen Sheetings, 2 1-2 yards, 2 3-4 yards and 3 yards wide, for sale cheap at
Oct 4 WM C COZZENS & CO.

**Checks and Plaids**, for boys wear in Cottonade, Cotton and Wool, and all Wool Goods, at LANGLEY & NORMAN'S,
June 14 100 Thames, corner of Mary S

**F. LAWTON & BROTHERS,**

INVITE the attention of purchasers to their large assortment of
HOUSE KEEPING GOODS,
SILKS, EMBROIDERIES,
SHAWLS, RIBBONS,
FLOUNCED ROBES,
CARPETINGS,
April MATTINGS, AND OIL CLOTHS.

**Ladies** [illegible] **Talmas**, at
Sept 27 J. H. HAMMETT'S,
85 Thames st.

**French Merinos**—and Light Blues—Brown, Green, Dark Scarlet French Merinos, Orange, Crimson and
Sept 27 J. H. HAMMETT'S,
85 Thames st.

**Butchers Frocking**, J. H. HAMMETT'S,
Sept 27 85 Thames Street

**Mohair Head Dresses and Caps**, at
J. H. HAMMETT'S,
Sept 27 85 Thames st.

**Ribbed Yarn Hosiery**—Ladies, and Children's Ribbed Yarn Hose, Colored and White, at
J. H. HAMMETT'S,
Sept 27 85 Thames st.

**Merino Drawers and shirts**—Blue, Mixed and White Merino Drawers & Shirts, at J H HAMMETT'S,
Sept 27 85 Thames st.

### New Goods.

BLACK DRESS SILKS, Battum Silks, Muslin and Berage Robes, Lawns and Muslins.
176 Thames street.
June 28. NEW YORK CHEAP STORE.

**Fall Goods.**—Plaids, Poplins, Valincies, all wool M Delaines, Versian Cloths, and many more kinds of desirable Dress Goods, opening at
Oct 4 WM. C. COZZENS & CO.

—ALSO—

Plaid and stripped Dress Silks, plain Silks, brocade Silks, and a few rich Silk Robes. A large supply of the best make of black Silks, in every width, for sale cheap.

### WOOLEN YARNS.

THREE and four threaded Blue Mixed, Drab, Purple, Red, Blue, Black and White Woolen Yarns of the best quality, just received at J. H. HAMMETT'S,
Sept 6 No. 85 Thames st.

**Improved Cactus Skirts**, just received at LANGLEY & NORMAN'S.

FALL STYLES of Mousslin de Laines, and Prints, at
C W TURNER'S
Sept 6 126 Thames street.

**Ladies Cloakings**, at 126 Thames street.
Sept 13 C W TURNER.

### NEW SILKS AT OLD PRICES!

**GEO. W. WARREN & CO.,**

are happy to announce to their friends and customers that having been so fortunate as to order and purchase their large importation of

**SILK GOODS;**
**In Europe,**

before the late rise in value, they are able and will continue to sell, all their

NEW SILKS AT OLD PRICES.

Now open, a large and varied assortment of

**Choice and Beautiful Silks,**

in styles to please and fabrics to wear to the satisfaction of the purchaser, both in

BLACK SILKS AND FANCY.

ONE PRICE ONLY.

GEO. W. WARREN & CO, Boston.
Sept 13—6w

## Clothing.

### READY MADE CLOTHING,

JUST RECEIVED a very large assortment of FASHIONABLE READY MADE CLOTHING, of every description for men and boys, all of which I will sell at prices that cannot fail to suit. Also Shirts, Collars, Bosoms, Hdkfs, Suspenders, Stocks, Neck Ties, Gloves, Hose, and all other articles usually called for in the Furnishing Goods Line.

**HATS & CAPS**

of the Latest Styles, and at low prices. Also our hand a good assortment of Traveling Bags, Trunks Umbrellas, &c. &c., Call and see at No. 174 Thames st.
April 12 STEPHEN HAMMETT.

### Fashionable Tailoring Establishment

**NO. 168 Thames Street**

The subscriber, would respectfully invite the attention of the public, to his fashionable assortment of new Winter Goods consisting in part, of

BROADCLOTHS, CASSIMERES, AND VESTINGS,

which will be sold at moderate prices, or made into garments of the *latest styles*, in the most *thorough manner.*

WILLIAM B. SWAN.

### New Goods.

JUST received, a large and fashionable assortment of spring goods, consisting of Cloths, Cassimeres and Vestings of the latest styles and patterns. Also, a good assortment of low price cassimeres for boys. Cloths, Tailors' Trimmings, and all other articles kept in a fashionable tailoring establishment.

Particular attention paid to cutting, and garments warranted to fit.

April 5 JOSEPH M. HAMMETT.

## GROCERIES

### NEWTON BROTHERS,

WHOLESALE AND RETAIL
**GROCERS,**
186 & 188 Thames Street,
Cor. PELHAM ST., NEWPORT, R.I.,
Constantly on hand every description of
**FINE GROCERIES,**
**FRESH TEAS,**
***FOREIGN FRUIT, &c.***

Agents for FRED'K DE BARY'S Mumm's Champagne and Moselle Wines, etc. Also, orders received and forwarded to A. BININGER & Co. for all articles in their line. Aug 23

### FRESH GROCERIES

AT

### CHARLES P. BARBER'S,

No's. 4 & 6 MARKET SQUARE.

RECEIVED per schooner Grace Darling and sloop Willard. Purchasers are invited to call and examine prices and quality of same.

75 chests new crop green and black teas,
100 bbls extra and superfine flour,
50 half bbls do
25 bags Graham do
8 bbls do do
100 bags hominy and samp,
25 bags bolted white, yellow and oat meal,
250 bags flour,
25 boxes Havana sugar,
50 bbls crushed, ground, and refined A, B & C sugars,
25 bbls N. O. Molasses
10 hhds Cuba, Mus. do
5 hhds P. R. do
40 doz. corn & birch brooms,
35 dozen pails and baskets, and other wooden ware,
48 boxes family & No. 1 soap,
28 boxes fancy & castile soap
30 boxes sperm, adamantine and tallow candles,
13 bbls rape seed, elephant and whale oil,
8 boxes preserved ginger
5 boxes lemon syrup,
25 boxes colgate's starch,
28 boxes choice brands tobacco,
1 bbls chewing and smoking tobacco,
smoked & pickled tongues
25 boxes bunch and layer raisins,
13 kegs seedless raisins
13 boxes cream tartar
5 kegs carb soda
8 boxes sal soda
20 boxes saleratus
18 kegs do
40 boxes pipes,
13 cases lucca and Bordeaux oil,
80 bags laguira, Cape & Rio coffee,
20 pockets Java coffee
5 bags roasted do
10 boxes ground do
98 bbls dried apples,
6 tierces head rice,
50 casks extra Old Dominion Louis, and Boston hams,
15 bbls mess and prime pork,
20 bbls mess beef,
2 tierces smoked beef,
24 kegs new butter,
54 boxes extra old cheese,
14 bbls leaf lard,
24 kegs do
28 bbls cider and wine vinegar,
134 boxes table salt,
534 pockets & bags salt,
134 sacks fine and tray salt,
20 bales twine & lamp wick,
200 reams wrapping paper,
8 bbls soda, butter crackers,
2 bbls sugar do
10 bbls pilot bread,
6 doz jute & alicant mats, hops,
Bath brick,
100 cases No.1 nutmegs, mace, cloves, cinnamon, pepper, maccaroni, vermicelli, London mustard, French chocolate, tapioca, Farina, pearl barley, wheaten grits, sap sago, citron, Currants, broma, cocoa, isinglass, gelatine, cooking extracts, tamarinds, mushroom & tomato catsup, walnut catsup, India soy, harvey sauce, honey, baking powders, sweet herbs.

—ALSO—

Fresh Ball Butter from the country daily.

### New and Choice Groceries, &c.

JUST RECEIVED per sloop Willard from New York, and offered at wholesale and retail at the lowest prices, by

**CORNELL & DENNIS,**
*NO. 22 BROAD STREET.*

Havana Brown Sugar,
Stewart's Crushed do,
do Refined A do,
do B do,
do C do,
Extra Powdered do,
Fine do Y H Tea,
Extra fine [illegible]
Fine [illegible]ng do,
Fine Gunpowder do,
English Breakfast,
Hyson Peckoe do,
Old Java Coffee,
Maracaibo do,
St Domingo do,
Parched do,
Extra Ground do,
Extra Flour,
Smith's do in bags,
do do half bbls,
Blue & White Starch,
Hominy,
Wheaten Grits,
Hecker's Farina,
Rice Flour,
Corn Starch,
Potash,
Extra Dairy Butter,
do Cheese,
Lard,
Lard Oil,
Rice,
Buckwheat,
Pure Ground Spices,
Unground do,
Box Raisins,
Citron,
Brooms,
Baskets,
Wrapping Paper,
Cider Vinegar,
Dairy Salt,
Os do,
Pepper,
Pick Sauce,
Catsups,
Extra M[illegible]
Refined Salt
Maccaroni,
Vermicelli,
Sago,
Chewing Tobacco,
Smoking do,
Clocks, &c. &c &c.

**Smoked Beef**—This Warm weather relish can always be found at the store of
H. H. YOUNG, Parade Corner.
Price 12½ cts per pound July 26.

CURRANTS, Citrons, Raisins, Brandy, Spices, and all the other fixings used for cake and pie making, just received at
May 17. H. H. YOUNG'S.

**Flour**—40 bbls extra Genesee Flour in bags and barrels. Good chance to get a barrel good flour low. H. H. YOUNG,
May 17. Parade corner.

### FLOUR.

A NEW LOT OF DOUBLE EXTRA in bbls and Hecker's, in 1-8 and 1-4 bags, at
98 Thames st.,
April 29. R. H. STANTON.

RAISINS in Kegs and Whole; 1-2 1-4 Boxes Prunes, Dates, Figs, Citron. Dried Apples and Peaches, at STANTON'S,
April 29. 98 Thames st.

**Lard,**
**Hams,**
**Shoulders,**
**Smoked Beef,**
**Beef Tongues, at**
April 29. STANTON'S.

### SUGAR

A NEW SUPPLY of all grades and qualities at a low price. For sale by
R. H. STANTON,
April 20 98 Thames st.

**Muscovado Molasses** of Prime quality in Hogsheads, received and for sale by
T. & J. COGGESHALL,
Aug 2 12 Commercial Wharf.

**Sugars**—All kinds just received at the Parade Corner Grocery.
May 19. H. H. YOUNG.

## Carpentering.

### STEAM MILL.

THE SUBSCRIBERS wish to call the attention of their friends and the public generally to their Establishment on Tanner street, where they keep on hand and are constantly making Window frames, Sashes, Blinds, Doors and Fence capping, and Mouldings of every description. Planing and Sawing of all kinds, such as Joist, Plank, Boards and Clapboards. All Work warranted.

Orders left with Messrs. FINCH & ENGS, will insure attention.

GIDEON LAWTON & CO
Newport, Sept. 4, 1852.—1

### CITY STEAM PLANING MILL.

NOS 1 & 2 SHERMAN ST,
NEWPORT, R. I.

WHERE Planing, Grooving, and all kinds of Scroll Sawing are done at short notice.—Also, Sashes, Blinds, Window Frames and Doors, manufactured and constantly kept on hand for sale.
May 17. SIMON MOFFIT, Proprietor.

### Lumber and Building Material.

PINE, Spruce and Cedar *SHINGLES, LATHS* and *CLAPBOARDS*, together with a good assortment of *TIMBER, JOIST* and *BOARDS*, *PLANED LUMBER* of all kinds needed, well seasoned and of good qualities.

*LIME, BRICK* and *CEMENT*, at reasonable price, for *CASH* at HAMMETT'S
June 16 Lumber Yard, Newport, R. I.

# Miscellaneous.

## JOSEPH M. LYON

PLUMBER, BRASS FOUNDER & COPPER SMITH
No. 236, Thames Street,
NEWPORT, R. I.

HAS constantly on hand a variety of Force & Lift Pumps, of his own manufacture, which he warrants equal, if not superior to any before offered in this market.

Also, Water Closets, Wash Bowls, Croton and Cochituate Faucets, and every description of Plumbing materials of various qualities and prices, as cheap as can be bought elsewhere.

Also, Pure block Tin Pipe, warranted not to injure the water in any way and fitted in the best style to Pumps and all other purposes.

Lead Pipe and Sheet Lead of various sizes on hand, also, all kinds of Brass and Composition Castings made to order. Ship Castings of all kinds on hand and made to order at short notice.

All orders attended to with neatness and dispatch and all work *Warranted.* March 8.

**MARINE & FIRE INSURANCE**

THE AMERICAN INSURANCE COMPANY,
PROVIDENCE, R. I.

Insure, Marine and Fire Risks on the most favorable terms.

The Capitol of said Company is $150,000, all paid in and invested in Bank Stock in the City of Providence.

DIRECTORS.

R. R. STAFFORD, Amos D. Smith, Resolved Waterman, Shubael Hutchins, George S. Rathbone, Caleb Harris, Walker Humphry, T. P. I. Goddard, Tully D. Bowen, Allen O. Peck, Samuel B. Tobey, James T. Rhodes, John H. Ormsbee.

ALLEN O. PECK, *President,*
Walker Humphry, *Secretary.*

Persons wanting insurance or information concerning said Company, will please apply to
GEORGE BOWEN, Esq., Newport.

**EVENING SALES.**

Reopening of No. 6 Broad street, this evening at 7 o'clock.

THE SUBSCRIBER would inform his friends and the public in general, that he will open his room for Evening sales during the coming Fall and Winter, this evening, and would call attention to his large and splendid stock of Crockery, Glass and Japaned Ware, Cutlery in all varieties, rich Gold Jewelry, Plated Ware, Dress Goods, Clothing, Hosiery, Laces and Embroideries, Hats and Caps, Boots and shoes, and an endless variety of Fancy Goods and Yankee Notions. Auction sales every Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday evenings at 7 o'clock; private sales every day to which the public are invited to call and examine.

FRANCIS STANHOPE,
Sept 13 Auction & Commission Merchant.

## J. H. Chappell,

**HARNESS MAKER & TRIMMER,**

Would respectfully inform his friends and the public in general, that he has opened the store No 18 Farewell, corner Marlborough sts, where he will keep constantly on and make to order, of the best material and workmanship, all kinds of light and heavy Harnesses.

J H C having had a practical experience in some of the principal cities in Rhode Island and Massachusetts, feels confident that he will be able to give perfect satisfaction to all who may favor him with a call. Repairing done with neatness and dispatch.

N B—Persons can rely on the promptness of his establishment. March 3, 1855—ly

FAIRBANKS'
CELEBRATED
## SCALES,
*of every variety,*
**34 Kilby Street, - Boston.**
GREENLEAF & BROWN, Agents.

A full assortment of all kinds of weighing apparatus and store furniture for sale at low rates. Railroad, Hay, and Coal Scales set in any part of the country. Feb 2—ly

NEWPORT
**MARKET.**

THE SUBSCRIBERS having taken the Market recently occupied by Andrew Stern, 147 Thames Street, (foot of Church street) [illegible] respectfully inform their former customers and friends, and the public generally, [illegible] now prepared to furnish Beef, Pork, Wild Lamb, Hams, Lard, Sausages, all kinds, and Game. Fruit and Vegetables [illegible] everything usually found in a [illegible] Market. A share of public [illegible] & BATEMAN.
fully solicited.
Newport, Jan. 4.—

[illegible]ICE.

THE Subscriber would respectfully inform the public generally, that they have bought the stock and tools of Mr Sawyer having retired to prosecute the Blacksmith business in all its branches at their old stand, No 72 Washington street, on the Point, and No 3 Clarke's Wharf. Horse shoeing particularly attended to at the latter place. A share of public patronage is respectfully solicited.
May 24. THOS B. CARR & CO.

**NOTICE.**

THE UNDERSIGNED owners of the Coddington Mill at Newport, have formed a Copartnership under the name and style of the *Rhode Island Manufacturing Company,* and have appointed Lewis J. Doyle, Treasurer.

W. W. BISHOP,
W. W. UPDIKE,
LEWIS J. DOYLE.
Prov. Sept 13—4w

**Perigord Preserves.**

THE SUBSCRIBER is prepared to furnish direct from the importers, and at their circular prices, the genuine "Perigord Preserves," such as Truffles, Mushrooms, Pates de Foies Gras, (in boxes or Terrines) Apricots, Cherries, Peaches, a l'Eau de Vie, Petits Pois, Biscuits a la Vanille et glaces, &c. &c.
June 7 ROBERT S. BARKER.

Williams is at the Old Stand Again.
**PEARL AMBROTYPES.**

THE largest size Ambrotypes taken at Williams' rooms, corner of Thames street, foot of Parade, twice the size of any taken in the State. Only 50 cents case and picture.
J. A. WILLIAMS.
Come and examine for yourself.
Aug 30

**Cigars.**

A FINE ASSORTMENT of Cuba Cigars among which are El Nono; La Bamaville; La Gerida; Sian-Serena; El Crimla, &c &c.
I. & J. COGGESHALL,
Aug 2 22 Commercial Wharf.

**SOUTHERN PINE WOOD!**

A SPLENDID CARGO of VIRGINIA PINE just received at the City Coal Yard foot of Duncan St. and for sale by
Sept. 20 CHARLES WILLIAMS.

**HAY AND STRAW.**

200 BALES of Timothy and Red top Hay, 300 do Rye Straw, in store and for sale by
Sept 13 J H & G W PERRY.

Winter Melons, Musk Melons, for sale at
R. WILSON'S,
Aug 23 79 Thames st.

Gaiters—A fine lot of Ladies Gaiters Gaiters with and without heels. Also ladies Laced Gaiters with heels of my own manufacture.
T. MUMFORD SEABURY.

**SCHOOL.**

THE FALL TERM of my school will open on Monday, September 1.
Aug 30 BENJ. B. THURSTON.

Plums and Gauges for sale at
R. WILSON'S,
Aug 23 79 Thames st.

Sweet Potatoes, just received and for sale at
R. WILSON'S,
Aug 2 79 Thames st.

# Hams.

Rhode Island Hams.

THESE HAMS are acknowledged to be far superior to the best cured Hams brought to this market. We except none, all we ask is one trial to substantiate what we have asserted; testimonials from the first families and boarding houses can be given to all who desire it.
Family [illegible] Grocery.
July 25 R. H. YOUNG

Hams, Dried Beef, Lard and Pork,
at 22 Broad street.
April 22 CORNELL & DENNIS.

# Legal Notices.

*Special Court of Probate, Newport, Sept. 25 1856.*

UPON THE PETITION of the Widow and heirs at law, of
*JONATHAN DWIGHT,*
late of Newport, deceased representing that said Jonathan Dwight died intestate and left estate that needs to be administered on; and praying this Court to appoint Ann Dwight, widow, administratrix, on the estate of the said intestate, according to law.

The same is received and referred for consideration to a Court of Probate to be holden at the City Clerk's office in Newport, on Monday, the 20th day of October next, at 10 o'clock A M and notice is ordered to be given thereof, for three successive weeks in the *Newport Mercury,* that all persons may appear at said time and place and be heard thereon.
Sept 27 B. B. HOWLAND, Prob. Clk.

*Probate Clerk's Office, Little Compton, September 22, 1856.*

APPLICATION is made to this office by Allen Gifford, Administrator on the estate of
*JOHN TABER,*
late of Little Compton, deceased, for a settlement of his final account on said estate, with this court. Be it known that said settlement will be attended to at a court of probate to be holden at the Town Hall in said town on Monday, the 13th day of October next, at 1 o'clock P M. Said account contains a credit for real estate sold. Notice thereof to be given for three successive weeks in the *Newport Mercury.*
HENRY M. TOMPKINS, Prob. Clk.
Sept 27

*Court of Probate, Little Compton, August 11, 1856.*

AN INSTRUMENT in writing purporting to be the last will and testament of
*HANNAH GIFFORD,*
late of Little Compton, deceased, is presented at this Court for probate and letters testamentary thereon. The same is received and referred to a Court of Probate, to be holden at the Town Hall in said town, on Monday the 13th day of October next, at one o'clock P. M. Notice is ordered to be given thereof for three successive weeks in the *Newport Mercury.*
HENRY M TOMPKINS, Prob Clerk.
Sept. 27.

**GUARDIAN'S NOTICE.**

THE UNDERSIGNED, having been appointed by the Court of Probate, of Little Compton, Guardian of the person and estate of
*TAYLOR BRIGGS,*
of said town, (Non Compos) and qualified himself according to law, requests all persons having claims to present them, and those indebted to make immediate payment.
Sept 27 JOHN CHURCH, Guardian.

# Wood & Coal.

**COAL AND WOOD.**

THE SUBSCRIBER would call the attention of the public to his assortment of prepared family coal, which is really superior to anything he has ever been able to offer, and which he will warrant to be as represented. Persons using the McGregor stove would do well to examine his pure Ashland White Ash Coal, before making their purchases.

A large assortment of wood constantly on hand. Also, *Kindling Wood Sawed and Split* by Steam Power in a superior manner, furnished at shortest notice.
W. J. SWINBUR[illegible]
Sept 13 Wharf, opposite foot of [illegible]

## Coal & Wo[illegible]

THE SUBSCRIBER would [illegible] attention of the consumers of coal to Neill's family assortment, consisting in part of pure burning coal, which has no equal, Lyken's Valley Coal, red ash. Also, the freest burning and pure [illegible] The Swatara, a very good coal for furnaces and Red Ash. Also, the coals have been selected [for] steam purposes. I do not hesitate to recommend with great care customers and the public as the [illegible] them [illegible] affords, and will be sold on the best the [illegible] terms.
[illegible] Oak and Pine Wood, which can [illegible] split to order as usual, at the
City Coal Yard,
[illegible] 20 CHAS. WILLIAMS.

## Lyken's Valley Coal,

OF superior quality. Also
**Baled Hay and Straw.**
For sale by
June 28 GEO. BOWEN & CO.

**Price Reduced.**

COKE for sale at 10 cents per bushel. Apply to Robert Anderson, 329 Thames street, or at the Office of the Newport Gas Light Company.
May 24.

**LACKAWANA COAL.**

THE SUBSCRIBERS have just received a cargo of Lackawana Coal in Lumps, Range and Stove sizes. Those persons who wish for a good White Ash Coal, which is free from clinkers and ignites easily, will find this to be just the article desired.
July 26. OMAN & BRADFORD.

**WOOD! WOOD!!**

THE SUBSCRIBERS have just landed a cargo of Wood which they will sell very low for cash.
July 18. OMAN & BRADFORD.

# Boots & Shoes.

**NOTICE.**

THE COPARTNERSHIP heretofore existing under the firm of Clark Burdick & Co. was this day dissolved by mutual consent. All persons having unsettled accounts with said firm will please to present the same to Clark H. Burdick, who is fully authorized to settle the same.
CLARK BURDICK.
Newport Dec 30, 1854.

The subscriber having purchased the interest of Clark Burdick in the late firm of Clark Burdick & Co. will continue the business of Boot & Shoe manufacturing at the old stand, No. 273 Thames street.
Dec 30. C. H. BURDICK.

## Boots and Shoes.

THE SUBSCRIBER having replenished his stock of fashionable Boots and Shoes, begs leave to call the attention of his friends and the public to the various articles in his line adapted to fall and winter wear, consisting of heavy Boots, Bootees, Gaiters of different kinds and makes, Shoes of all qualities and sizes, and a general assortment of goods of the most desirable styles, all of which are offered at the lowest market rates.
sept 20.—tf JOHN N. POTTER.

Ladies' Boots—Just received from New York, a large and fine assortment of Misses' and Children's Boots, Brown and Black Buskin Boots.
T. MUMFORD SEABURY,
May 17. 140 Thames st.

# Stoves, &c.

**Stoves, Tin Ware, &c.**

THE SUBSCRIBER has in store a large assortment of Parlor and Cook Stoves, Tin Ware of all kinds, Wooden and Willow Ware. Ranges of most approved patterns set with care, and warranted to work well. Jobbing punctually attended to. Orders solicited.
WILLIAM BROWNELL,
May 12. Opposite R. I. Union Bank.

**Stoves & Summer Ranges.**

CLIPPER, Venetian Air-Tight, Metropolis, Roger Williams, Vesta, Parlor, Oven and various patterns of Cook, Parlor, Office and Ship Stoves, and Wardwell, Burrows & Co's summer Ranges, at J. B. LANGLEY Jr. & CO'S.
122 Thames street.
May 10. opposite Messrs. Finch & Engs'.

***Highly Important.***

SPRATT'S Patent Hermetical Self Sealing Cans, for preserving Fruits, Green Corn, Tomatoes, Peas, &c., easily opened or closed—require no soldering—may be used year after year—every Farmer and Housekeeper should be a purchaser. These cans are made by a new double patent process, rendering leakage impossible.

Full directions for preserving, accompany the cans. For sale by
WM. H. BLISS, Agent.
July 14 137 Thames st.

**TIN WARE.**

PLANISHED, Japanned and Plain Tin Ware of every variety, constantly on hand, or made to order, by
July 16 W. H. BLISS.

TIN, Sheet Iron, Japanned, Britannia, Enamelled Iron Ware, Glass, Wooden and Willow Ware, Pumps, &c. &c., constantly on hand and made to order, by
J. B. LANGLEY, Jr. & Co.

## S. M. PETTENGILL & CO.'S BOSTON BUSINESS DIRECTORY,

SEPTEMBER, 1856.

The following List of Cards was collected by S. M. PETTENGILL & Co, Newspaper Advertising Agents, No 10 State street, Boston, who are authorized by the publishers of the best and *most widely circulated* Newspapers throughout the United States and British Provinces, to take advertisements and subscriptions at the *lowest rates.*

**PORTABLE CIDER MILLS, APPLE PARERS,**
Tomato and Fruit Cans, Portable Grist Mills, Horse Powers, Winnowing Mills, all kinds of Farm Tools, Seeds and Guano, by
**PARKER WHITE & GANNETT.**
47, 59 & 63 Blackstone Street, Boston.

**BROOKS & MECUEN,**
No. 1 Blackstone, 2 & 4 Fulton, and 2 Shoe & Leather sts, Boston.
Importers and Dealers in
**SHOE FINDINGS,**
AND MANUFACTURERS OF LEATHER.
Particular attention paid to getting up different machines used by the trade, &c, viz: Rolling, Splitting and Crimping Machines, &c. All articles in our line at the lowest prices for cash.

**THOMAS E. MOSELEY & CO,**
Importers, and Wholesale & Retail Dealers in
**BOOTS AND SHOES,**
CORNER OF SUMMER & HAWLEY STREETS,
Opposite C. F. Hovey & Co, *BOSTON.*
Have constantly for sale every style of Boots and Shoes of French and American manufacture, for Ladies, Gentlemen, Misses and Children. *One Price.*

**BROWN'S BRONCHIAL TROCHES.**
"We have found them of great service in allaying Bronchial Irritations, and in subduing Hoarseness produced by Colds, and do our clerical brethren a real favor in calling their attention to them."—*Zion's Herald.* "We commend them to the attention of *Public Speakers, Singers,* and others who are troubled with affections of the Throat."—*Christian Watchman.* "For Coughs, Asthma, &c, we cheerfully bear testimony from personal knowledge to their efficacy."—*Ballou's Pictorial.* "They are a simple and elegant form for administering, in combination, several medicinal substances, held in general esteem and physicians in the treatment of Bronchial [illegible]tions."—*Dr G F Bigelow.* Containing no [illegible] or deleterious drugs, these Lozenges [illegible] clearing and giving strength to the [illegible]
JOHN I BROWN [illegible]SON, Boston.
Sold by all Druggists in [illegible] United States.

**ROSS & [illegible]EARCE,**
Importers and Dealers in
[illegible] and Silk Thread,
Linen, Cotton [illegible] MACHINES
FOR [illegible]INE and WEBBING,
No. 7 [illegible]TY SQUARE.......BOSTON.

**[illegible]AFNESS CURE[illegible]!**
[illegible] caused, if the ticking of a watch can be [illegible] Letters of enquiry, enclosing a postage [stamp], addressed to DR BOARDMAN, No. 12 [illegible] Place, Boston. Remedies and apparatus sent by express.

**GEORGE L. STEARNS,**
Manufacturer of
**Patent Improved Lead Pipe,**
SHEET LEAD and BLOCK TIN PIPE,
Also, dealer in *PIG LEAD,*
23 WATER St., opposite Simmons Block, Boston.

**GOLD LEAF, &c.,**
Manufactured by JAS. F. TOLMAN,
16 HARVARD PLACE,
Opposite Old South Church,..............Boston.

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*SUMMER ARRANGEMENT.*

On and after Monday, April 28th, 1856, Passenger Trains run daily (Sundays excepted) as follows:—

Leave Fall River for Boston at 6 45, 10 15 A. M; 3 45 P. M.

Leave Fall River for New Bedford, 6 45, 10 15 A. M., and 5 50 P. M.

Leave Fall River for Taunton and Providence 6 45, 10 15 A. M., and 3 45 P. M.

Leave Boston for Fall River 7 15 A. M., and 2 15, 4 30, 5 30 P. M.

Leave New Bedford for Fall River 6 40 A. M., and 3 45, 5 30 P. M.

Leave Taunton for Fall River, 8 50 A. M.; and 6 10 P. M. GEO. HAVEN, Sup't.
Boston, May 17, 1856.

**BAY STATE LINE OF STEAMERS.**

METROPOLIS, Capt. William Brown, leaves Fall River for New York on Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays, on arrival of 5 30 train from Boston. Returning leaves New York, at 5 P. M. Tuesdays, Thursdays and Saturdays.

EMPIRE STATE, Capt. B. Brayton, Tuesdays, Thursdays & Saturdays. From New York Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays.

Both Boats touch at Newport each way. From New York at 5 P. M. and Fall River at 8 A. M.

The steamers on this route are the largest, most substantial and costly of any inland steamers on the American waters, having been built expressly for the route around Point Judith.
May 17.

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**NOTICE.**

THE Fall River and New Bedford Stage will leave the office daily Sundays excepted, at 9 o'clock A. M. Leave Fall River at 1 o'clock P. M., and arriving in New Bedford at 3½ P. M. Returning, will leave New Bedford daily, Sundays excepted, at 8 o'clock A. M., and arrive in Fall River at 10½ o'clock, leave Fall River at 11 o'clock, and arrive in Newport at 2 o'clock P. M. This stage connects at the Stone Bridge with the Tiverton and Little Compton stage, both ways.
Jan 26, 1856 R B KINSLEY